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SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL
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Silver Anniversary

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OF ACHIEVEMENT

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The Silver Anniversary

OF SAINT THOMAS MORE HIGH SCHOOL

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Twenty-five Years of High Purpose

1936

"Gay colors of green and gold
To all, with our fame unfold . . ."

Let's pause a moment and reflect on the meaning of these words. Green and gold should mean more to us as S.T.M. students than an insignia of identification; let's recall the deeper meaning:

So far as we can ascertain, these colors were those of Saint Thomas More's family escutcheon. They must have had a special significance for him; and if for him, so also for us. The green is emblematic of humility and obedience; the gold symbolizes purity. It is reasonable to assume that these colors had been chosen for a definite purpose; namely, to instill these virtues into every member of that family and to impress upon them the importance of practicing them. The significance of these colors naturally set a high standard, and the family was certainly judged by its adherence to those standards.

In a slightly different way these colors serve the same purpose in our school. Our actions form the standard by which our school will be known; our colors are for us, as students, the standard of our actions; therefore we may rightly conclude that our school colors, green and gold, are indirectly responsible for the honor and glory of Saint Thomas More. May all of us perform every action of every day according to the virtues symbolized by the green and gold of Saint Thomas More.

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Father Joseph V. Sangmeister, our first rector from 1936 to 1943.

The graduating class of 1961 marks the Silver Jubilee of our Alma Mater. Twenty-five years ago in September of 1936, these doors were opened for the first time to high school students.

In that eventful year, the late Cardinal Dougherty bestowed on Father Joseph V. Sangmeister the honor of being the first rector of St. Thomas More High School. Father had under him a fine faculty and by his careful guidance and wise leadership he molded them into a smooth-working team. Together they succeeded in placing St. Thomas More on a scholastic par with the other diocesan high schools.

In September of 1943, Father Sangmeister left us for other educational duties in Bethlehem Catholic High School. Father Joseph G. Cox succeeded Father Sangmeister as rector. During the next eleven years Father Cox won acclaim as one of the foremost educators in the area.

But the term of Father Cox was marred by the second World War. Many students and alumni gladly went into the service to insure a free and peace-loving nation for all of us. These young men brought much glory and honor to St. Thomas More but unfortunately some of them were forced to surrender their lives in the struggle. To all of them we owe our lasting gratitude.

On a happier vein, the rectorship of Father Cox witnessed a great basketball championship. The team of 1951 won the Catholic League championship, the City Title and the Eastern States Tournament. Little St. Thomas More was acclaimed by the city.

Father John J. Curran became the third rector of S.T.M. His first association with us was in 1940 when he had been appointed to the faculty. In the Spring of 1954 he was named acting rector and then rector in July of that year. While he was rector perhaps the most traditional and popular of activities was initiated, the Varsity Follies. Since 1954 the Varsity Show has been an annual affair and over the years it has given the audiences hours of pleasure and the students who participated, years of memories.

Twenty-five years at

ROWING CHAMPIONS—1939

Everyone has his big day sooner or later. Saint Thomas More had its big day on Sunday, May 17, 1942. On this date, the Golden Bears decisively captured the Catholic League Track Championship. It was the first time in the history of our school that we won a championship in a major sport.

St. Thomas More High School

MEMBERS OF FIRST FACULTY—*Back Row:* Father J. Morley, Father F. Frazer, Father D. Lenahan, Mr. J. Walker, Father J. Dolan, Father J. Doyle, Father C. McAleer. *Front Row:* Father T. Daly, Father M. Smith, Father J. Sangmeister, Father J. Kinney and Father R. McVeigh.

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Monsignor Joseph G. Cox, our second rector, was born in 1903. He was ordained in 1930 and held this office of rector at S.T.M. from 1943 to 1954. His death in 1959 dealt a severe loss to the field of education in which he was so prominent.

During these years we were not hailed as titans in the sporting events but there was one very notable achievement: The Golden Bears garnered their first gridiron win over the arch rival, West Catholic.

When the Vincentian Fathers assumed the administration in September of 1957, Father Curran was appointed to the faculty of St. Charles Borromeo Seminary.

Sadness struck St. Thomas More a year and a half later. In that year, 1959, both Father Cox and Fr. Curran were called by God to their eternal rest. The deaths of these two outstanding men were mourned by the students and alumni but while they are no longer physically present with us, their tremendous influence will be felt for years and years to come.

In the Summer of 1957, the late Cardinal O'Hara invited the Vincentian Fathers to assume the administration of St. Thomas More. The famed St. Vincent De Paul founded the Congregation of the Mission to give missions to the poor country people and also to conduct seminaries for the training of young men for the priesthood and to instruct the clergy. Over the years, education has also become one of their main works and the Vincentians welcomed the opportunity to teach in the Archdiocese.

You might say that September of 1957 marks the end of one era and the beginning of a new one. But even though the administration of St. Thomas More has undergone a change, the spirit and traditions of St. Thomas More remain unbroken. Father John J. Cusack, C.M., is now completing his fourth year as rector and during these four years, the Vincentians, the Diocesan Clergy, the Franciscans, and the laymen of the faculty have been one big, happy family. And this same congenial spirit has diffused itself amongst the student body.

Because of our size, in comparison with the other giants of the diocese, we have never come off with any athletic championships during the past three years. But this year, the Jubilee Year, the Golden Bears electrified the city with a stunning basketball championship. Mr. James Purcell, a faculty member as well as basketball coach, became the first one to play for a City Championship Team (1951) and then re-

educating and inspiring

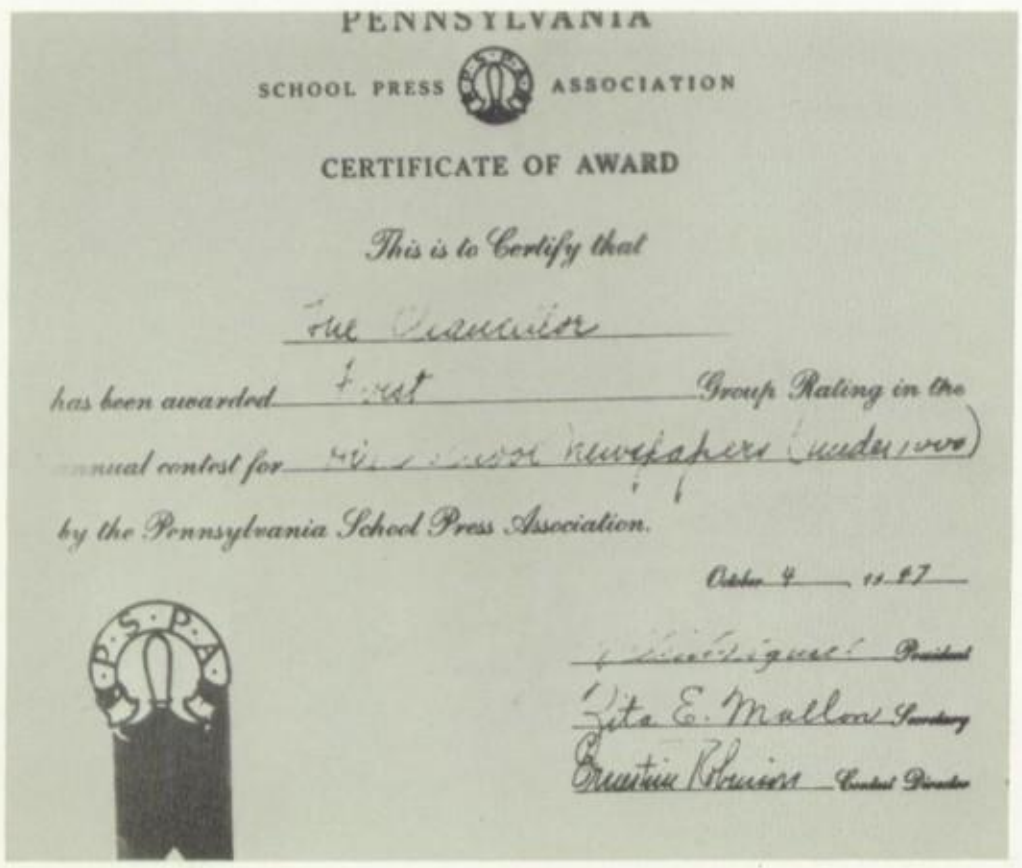
"Noel!—Noel!" The sound and feeling of Christmas ran as true in the time of Father Cox as it does today. However, the prayer being offered at the moment of this picture is one of Christmas thanks—thanks for the end of World War II and an earth at peace.

Our school nurse, Mrs. Mary Mobilio has served S.T.M. since 1950, carrying on a program of student health improvement.

thousands of young men to become . . .

It has often been said: 'One picture is worth a thousand words"; and what could be more appropriate than a picture of our Championship Basketball team of 1951.

Mr. Joseph Walker, one of the most popular teachers of S.T.M. during the rectorship of Fr. Cox, was called to his eternal reward on Wednesday, February 16, 1955. Requiescat in Pace!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When we talk of awards let us not forget the Chancellor, our school newspaper. The year was 1948 and the award was first place in the Pennsylvania Scholastic Press Conference.

From the musical prowess of Fr. Martin G. Smith and the lyrical poetry of Fr. John W. Simons usher forth the Alma Mater of S.T.M.

ALMA MATER

To spread Alma Mater's glory
To grant her a meed of praise
To share her illustrious story
Our voices in pride we raise.
Out of the sable night there came
A green and golden blaze
Among the stars it swept to fame
And captured every gaze.
A golden name this new star bore
A noble name and high
The golden words "Saint Thomas More"
Were spun across the sky.

We hail thee, we hail thee,
Green dream of gold desire!
We hail thy rising, starry fire
That mounts on golden wheel
Achieving what our hearts desire
Our green and gold ideal.
May we, Saint Thomas More, pursue
Thy golden march anew;
May we thy victory flame renew
And conquer heaven too.

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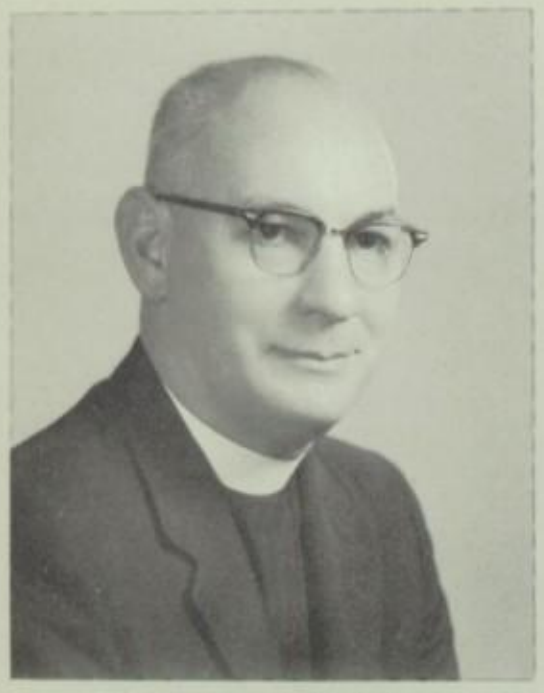


July, 1954, marked the appointment of the third rector of our school, Reverend John J. Curran.

When the Vincentian Fathers assumed the administration of St. Thomas More in September of 1957, Father Curran was transferred to St. Charles Borromeo Seminary. Just two years later Father died after a short illness.

turn and coach his alma mater to another City Championship. After defeating Cardinal Dougherty High School by one point for the Catholic League Championship, John Bartram High School became another victim of the Golden Bears and again by the margin of a single point. An invitation to the Knights of Columbus basketball tournament climaxed a sensational season for the hoopsters.

But no brief history of the past twenty-five years would be complete without a special tribute to the four original members of the faculty who are marking with us the Silver Anniversary of St. Thomas More and the Silver Anniversary of their ordination to the priesthood.

Father James Kinney, the freshmen Latin professor. Father Kinney has long been a figure in the Activities Office, arranging and handling most of the social activities of St. Thomas More.

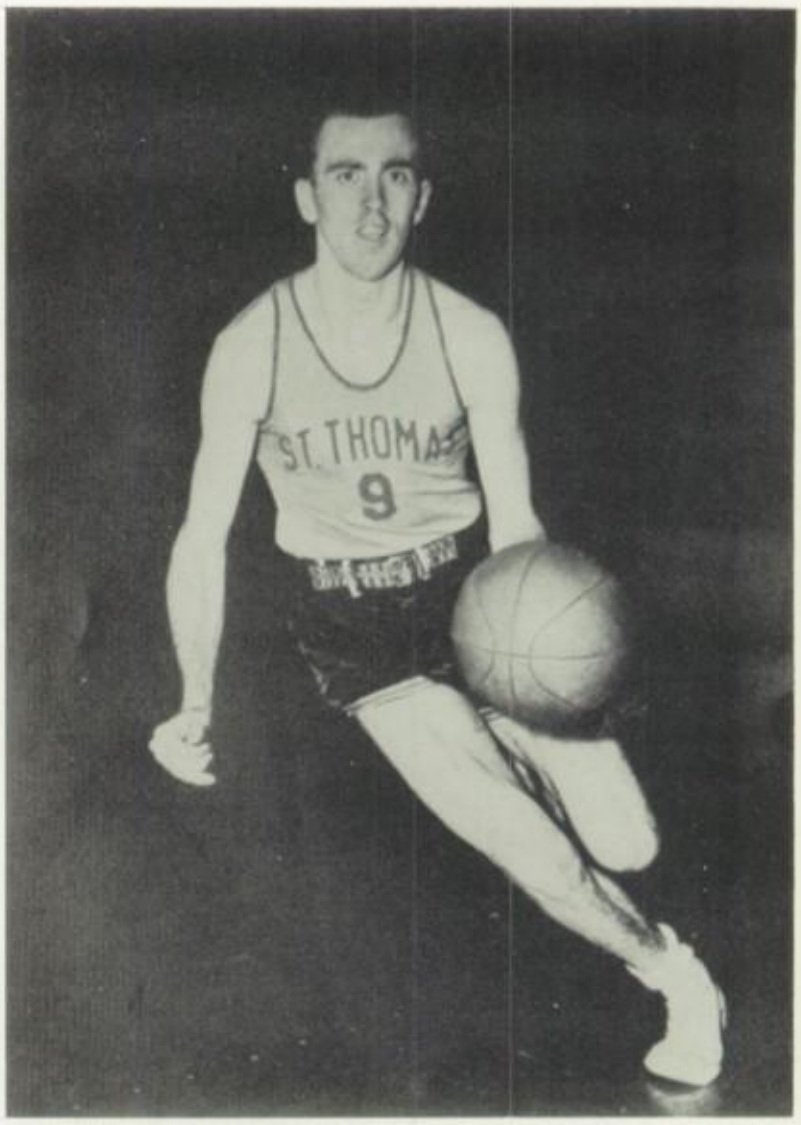
Father Charles McAleer, Professor of Problems of Democracy. Father McAleer is known by the seniors as the moderator of the Senior Prom, and World Affairs Council, and the coach of the golf team.

Father Robert McVeigh, Instructor of Commercial Subjects. Father McVeigh, who serves as moderator of the Knights of Mary and our track and cross-country teams, personifies the "green and gold" spirit of St. Thomas More.

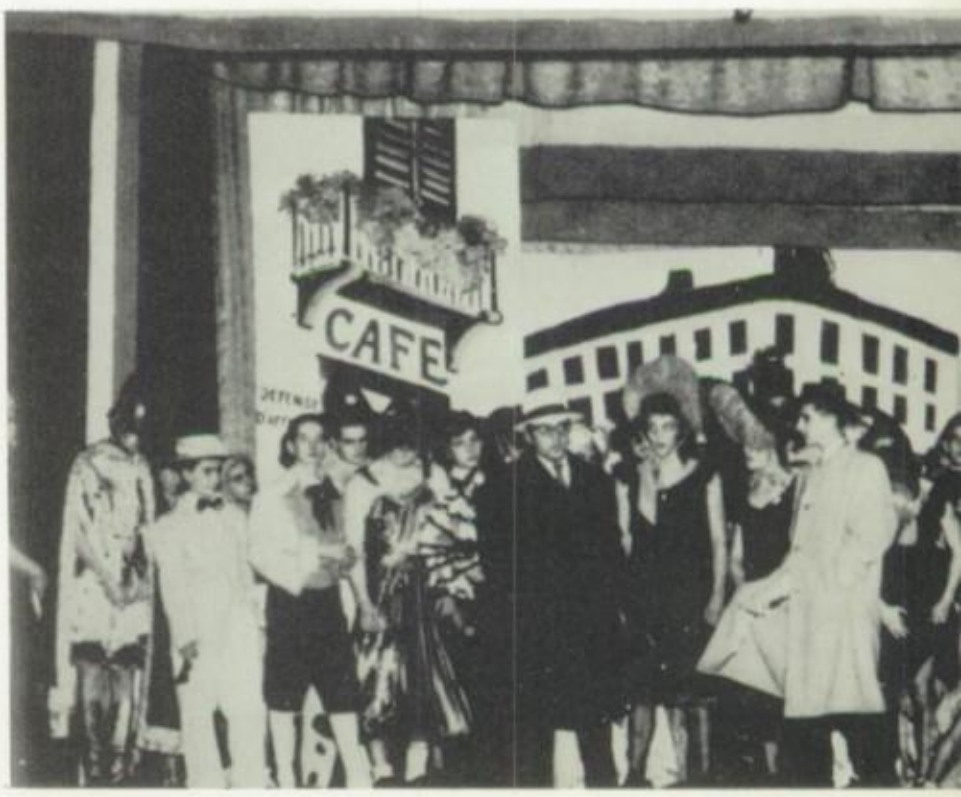
Father Martin Smith, the Head of the Mathematics Department. Father Smith is the moderator of the Student Council and the composer of our Alma Mater.

We hail these four pioneers and on the occasion of their Silver Jubilee and twenty-five years service in our school, we offer them our sincerest congratulations and gratitude for all that they have done for us and all the other graduates over the years. Through them we also offer our most sincere appreciation to St. Thomas More High School and our heartfelt prayers are that God and Mary will give them and St. Thomas More many many more years of fruitful service in the work of spreading the Kingdom of God here upon earth.

Christian gentlemen and



March, 1957—All-Catholic Sophomore Bill Hoy won the Catholic League Scoring Crown with an amazing 251 points. His skilled ball-handling led the team to many key victories. He retained this title for two more years, and now is an outstanding playmaker for St. Joe's Varsity Five.



February, 1955—Once again laughter and applause echoed through the halls of S.T.M. as "More Fun" provided an evening of rollicking entertainment. Those who attended witnessed for the first time the skilled efforts of Mr. James Mayer, the director. He has been mainly responsible for the overwhelming success of the succeeding varsity shows.

good citizens, ready to contribute to their times.

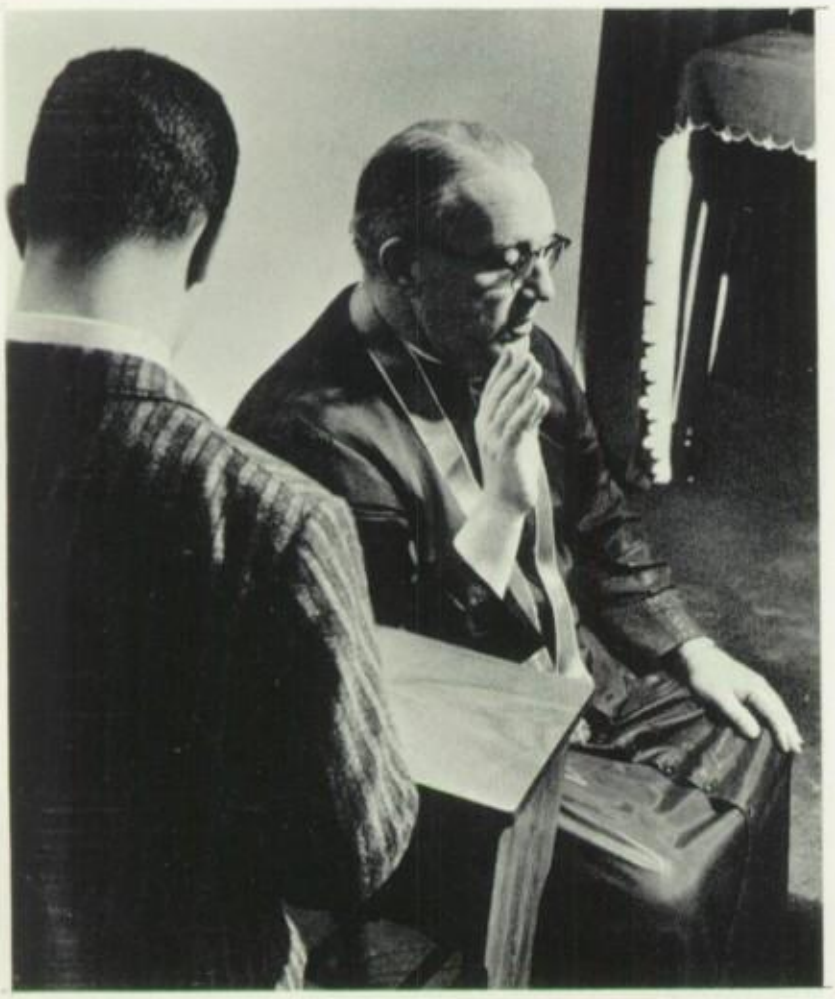
November, 1954—The Golden Bears finally did it. Before a crowd of wildly cheering and enthusiastic fans, they beat West Catholic, our arch-rival, for the first time in the history of the school. The score was a tight 19-13, but they out-lasted the Burrs and emerged victorious.

1953-1954—Great homage was given to Mary, the Mother of God, during the Marian Year. It was proclaimed by Pope Pius XII in observance of the hundredth anniversary of the declaration of the Dogma of Her Immaculate Conception. A national shrine in Washington, D. C., was dedicated to her.

On the Occasion of The Silver

These two pages symbolize one hundred years of unselfish dedication, dedication of twenty-five years by each of four priests to teaching, to sanctifying, and to governing men in the salvation of their immortal souls. To Fathers Kinney, Smith, McVeigh, and McAleer go the congratulations of all on the anniversary of their twenty-fifth year in Christ's priesthood, their twenty-fifth year at St. Thomas More.

In the role of teaching they have brought many from the darkness of ignorance into the light of knowledge. Each has developed his special skill that he may be able to aid anyone who asks.



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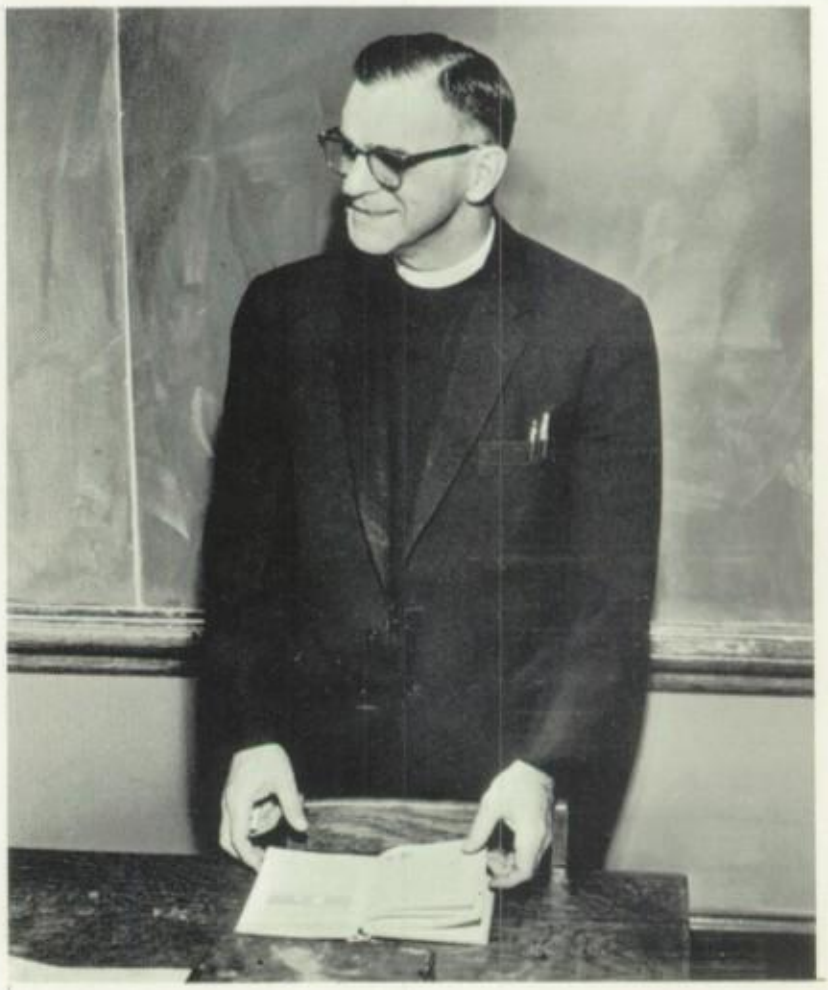


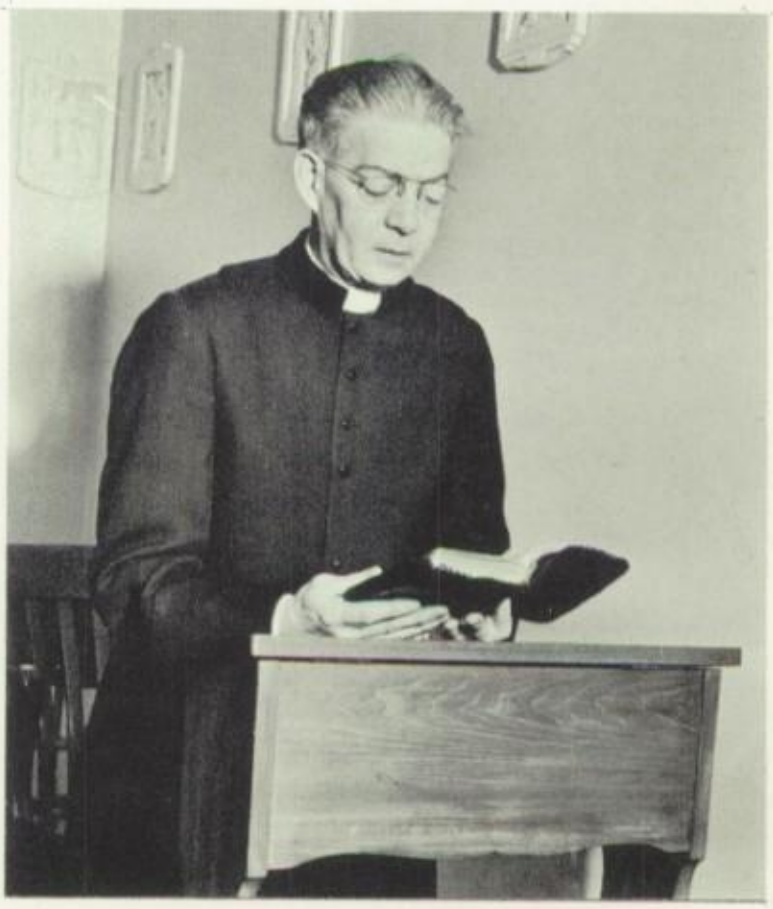
FATHER MARTIN SMITH

Anniversary of Their Ordinations

As sanctifiers, their positions as priests have enabled them to forgive sins in the sacrament of Penance, to consecrate at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, to Baptize all who wish to join the Church of Christ.

Governing the faithful has also been a duty of the priesthood which each has exercised.

To these four priests, the Yearbook says: May God grant many more years to these, His faithful ones, that they may continue to work for their Father in His earthly kingdom.



FATHER ROBERT MCVEIGH

FATHER CHARLES MCALEER

As the student progresses through the hazardous steps of his high school career, he realizes that the predominant factor in his success is due to the leadership of the members of the faculty. At St. Thomas More, these men are among the best in their fields. With Fr. John J. Cusack, C.M., as Rector, the faculty is under expert leadership. Having all these men to direct us in our academic struggle, the students can be sure of unparagoned guidance.

Administration

DIRECTION

REVEREND JOHN J. CUSACK, C.M.
Rector

To the Senior Class:

Four years ago we started together at St. Thomas More High School. At my first meeting with your class I remarked that we would be "freshmen" together. Now the years have passed and we come to the parting of the ways.

You graduates have filled these years with many pleasant memories. Your loyalty and friendship have been deeply appreciated. I cannot sum up in a few words all the wonderful things I wish for each of you. Perhaps as you turn the pages of this yearbook, you will recall words of encouragement, correction, advice and commendation that you've heard during four years. My best wishes for you are encompassed in all of these.

May the solid, courageous, and manly Faith that enabled St. Thomas More to confront and oppose kings, enable you likewise to live by your principles regardless of what others may say or do.

May the Blessing of God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit descend upon you and remain with you forever.

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Religion

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Religion

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Rev. James J. Kinney
Latin

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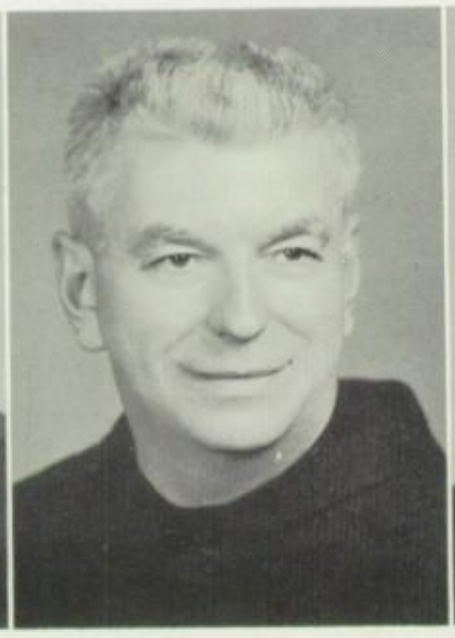

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Art-Spanish
Mechanical Drawing

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Mr. Theophil T. Staruch
Biology-German

Miss Kathryn Kennedy

Miss Mary Diaco

Here it is that we find the *primum mobile*, so to speak, of our attendance at St. Thomas More, for above all, ours is an institution of learning. The classroom is our sun, about which the planets of activities and athletics revolve. It is the zenith of the student's four years here, his sojourn while advancing through high school.

Classes

EDUCATION
SUCCESS
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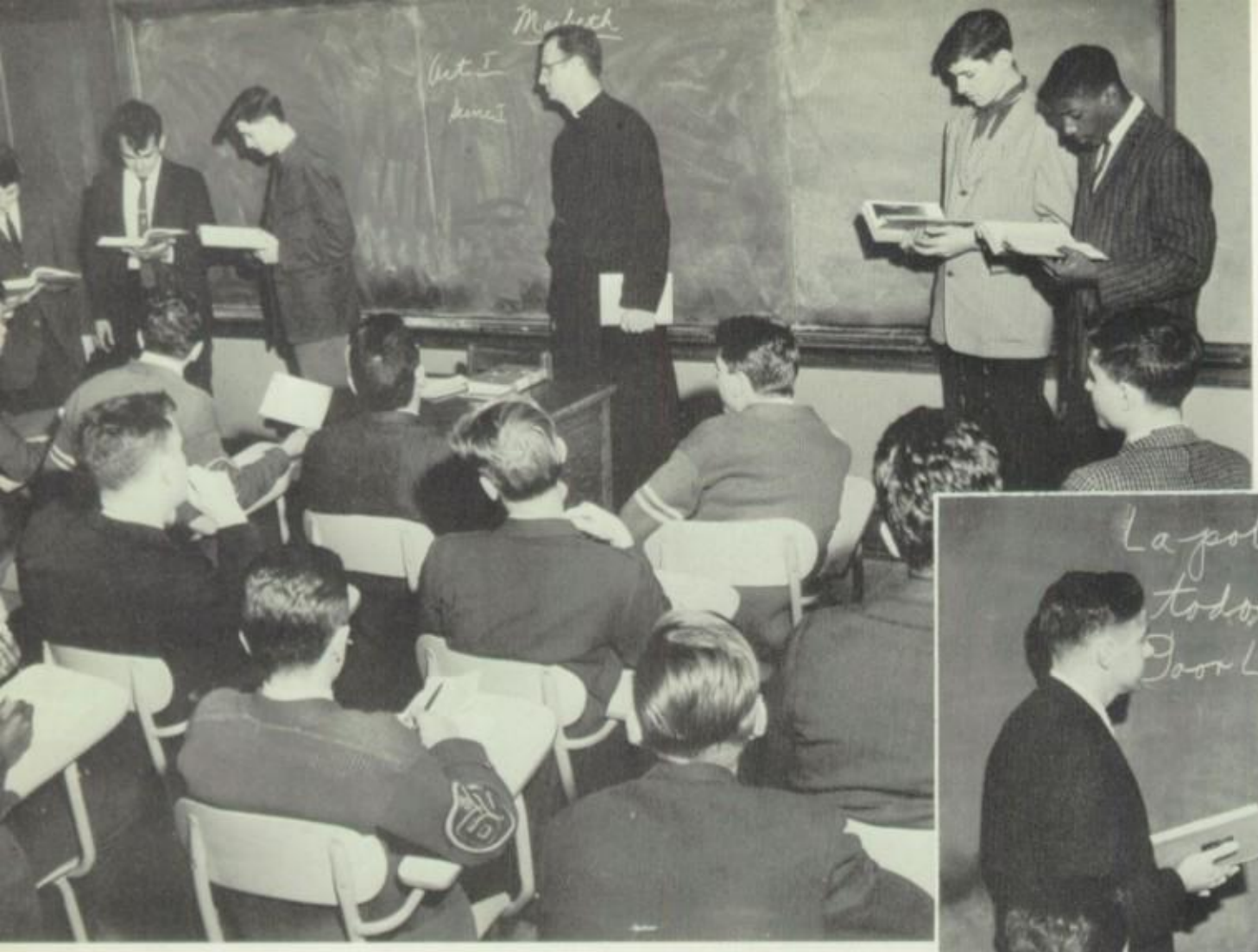
CLASSES

Speed and accuracy — these are the watchwords of the modern business world and the goal of this A-3 typing class as they prepare for their entrance into the realms of high finance. With dedicated silver anniversary celebrant, Fr. McVeigh, as professor, success lies just ahead.

With the Age of Space sweeping down upon us, the need for a more scientifically informed public, as well as a greater number of scientists and technologists, is growing daily. Exemplifying the efforts being made to obviate these needs, Mr. Bullick, our physics professor, animates the printed text as he engages the services of senior section A-1's Hercules and Atlas in explaining the principle of the Von Guericke Hemispheres.

All eyes are on the White House, as a new man takes over the reins of government. Father Charles McAleer, celebrating his silver anniversary as P. O. D. professor, points out to several interested A-4 students the names of the past residents of 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.

Since our modern world is continually growing smaller via miracles in the fields of communication and transportation, linguistic talents are finding their place in the forefront. Mr. Staruch prepares to measure the progress of his German II class. From the smiling countenances of Herren Blake and Capodanno, we can surmise that the class is well prepared — we hope.



"When shall we three meet again, in thunder, lightning, or in rain?," quoth the First Witch from William Shakespeare's immortal play, "Macbeth." These interested students of Junior section; B-5 are questioning Fr. Thomas Prior about the fabled world of such unforgettable characters as Macbeth and Banquo (at R.) and Lady Macbeth.

Foreign languages are not barriers to eager intellectual students who seek to increase their ever-growing knowledge. These boys are not afraid to venture into the unknown darkness of a new language. William DeLorenzo of B-3 proves this statement with his translation of a Spanish sentence. Very good translation, too! Mr. Purcell and his Spanish I class also approve.

Could that be a type of new secret weapon that Mr. Sollimo has just ignited? No, it's only the burning of a magnesium strip in a bunsen burner as these scientifically-minded students of Junior section B-2 well know. This is but one of the many interesting experiments that is performed throughout the year during some of the chemistry periods.

"A house that is built on sand will not stand." This quotation emphasizes the importance of a good foundation. In the mechanical drawing class, the scientific students of junior section B-1 learn the basic fundamentals of many modern careers among which are engineering and architecture. Mr. Gerard McCauley carefully watches William Lerro as he uses a triangle to construct part of a drawing.

CLASSES

Bios Logus — the study of the hidden secrets and marvels of God's created world — enthralls these C-2 students as they microscopically venture forth into the realm of the frog, starfish, and lobster. With Professor Staruch at the helm, and as willing a crew as these men, a *bon voyage* is insured as they sail into the intriguing seas of nature.

From Bunker Hill to Heartbreak Ridge, Washington to Kennedy, is the path which these C-3 American History students follow as they learn of the blood, sweat, and prayer poured into the foundation of our great nation. Knowing Mr. Carey's pedagogical prowess and seeing those smiling faces, we can be certain that our American heritage is being taught to be fully appreciated.

CLASSES

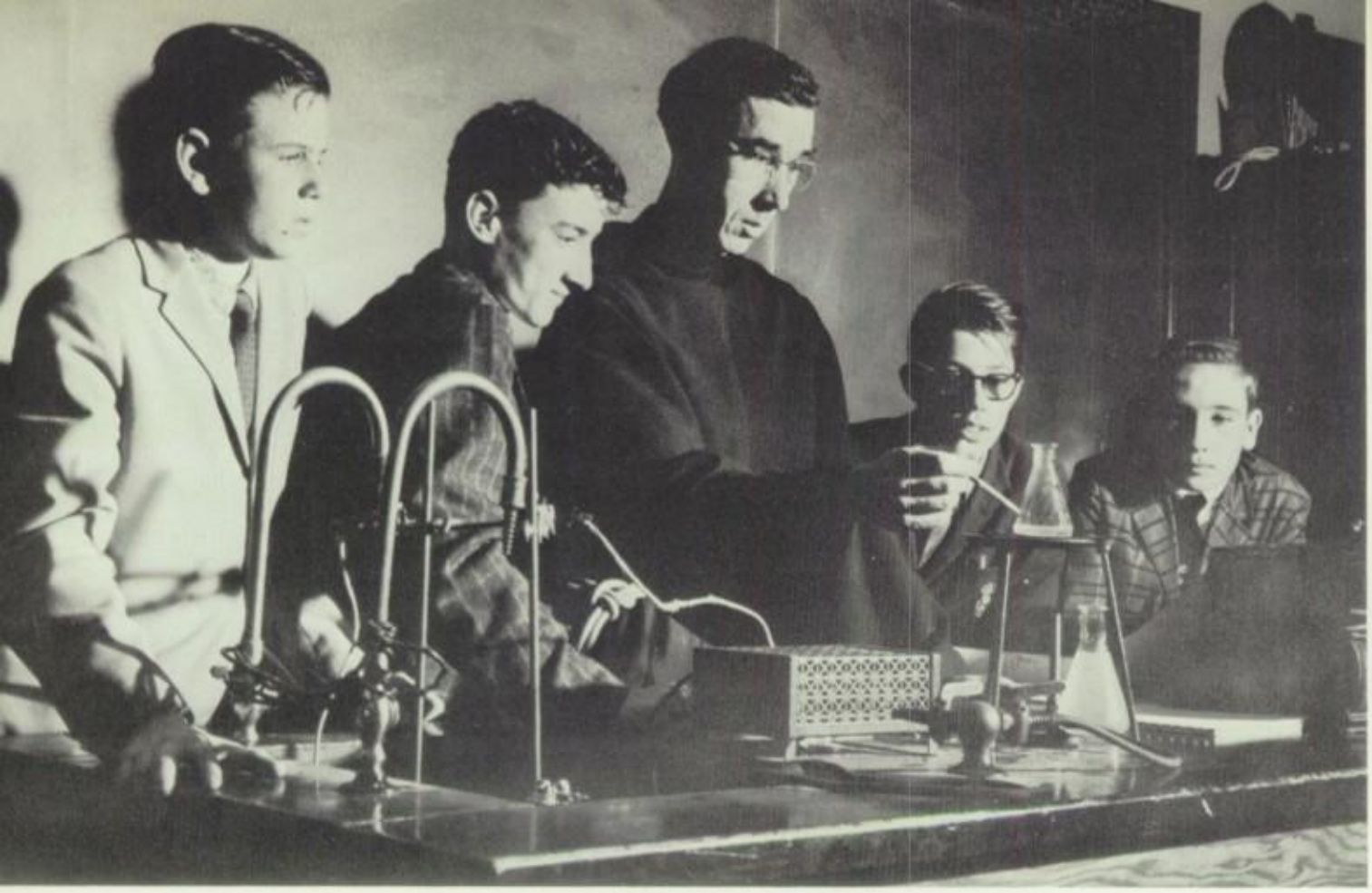
Mr. Coyne has the undivided attention of sophomore section C-1 as he displays an intriguing white cone in front of them. But the plane geometry class does not go through every day as leisurely as this one. Using axioms, postulates, and proven theorems to evaluate the truth of geometric statements, these students advance further into the vast world of mathematics.

English is a very vital and essential subject in the curriculum of any American youth. Fr. Valentine T.O.R. is explaining a problem in the previous night's lesson to Dennis Carroll as the other students of C-5 notice their own mistakes.

"Fallibility or Infallibility"—that is the question in Fr. Kane's religion class where Gerald Smith and Oreste Bertozzi of D-5 express their opinions on this necessary quality of the Pope. As the class listens attentively and chooses sides, Fr. Kane looks somewhat doubtful. Could it be the amazing articulation of their debate which is slowly leading to a new heresy?

Algebra, a captivating subject, obviously presents little resistance to these mathematical minds of D-4. Fr. Green's admiring expression and the reassuring (or is it puzzled) glances of the class tell us these boys are on the right track.

With the ever changing times world history is of vital importance. The comparison between the culture, language, and customs of ancient civilization and this modern era provides exciting study for these young anthropologists. Various maps, charts, and exhibits add interest to this class. Mr. Campiglia's D-3 is apparently engrossed in their work; although John Luttrell seems to be having slight difficulty, or is he really having some work checked?



As Fr. Nicholas demonstrates the kinetic theory of molecular motion to the inquisitive scientific minds of section D-2, they anxiously await the outcome of this experiment — is the boiling of the water showing the molecules agitating. General science paves the way for future study in biology, chemistry, and physics giving but a taste in each field. It is an important stepping stone to scientists in this day and age.

Porto, Portas, Portat — Under Fr. James Kinney's "right hand" guidance and teaching experience, knowledge of the ancient Roman language is imbibed by the students of D-1. These boys, eager to master this seemingly difficult language, intensely focus their eyes on their text books, while Fr. Kinney walks around the room helping them to understand Latin, the foundation for the modern languages they will encounter in the future.

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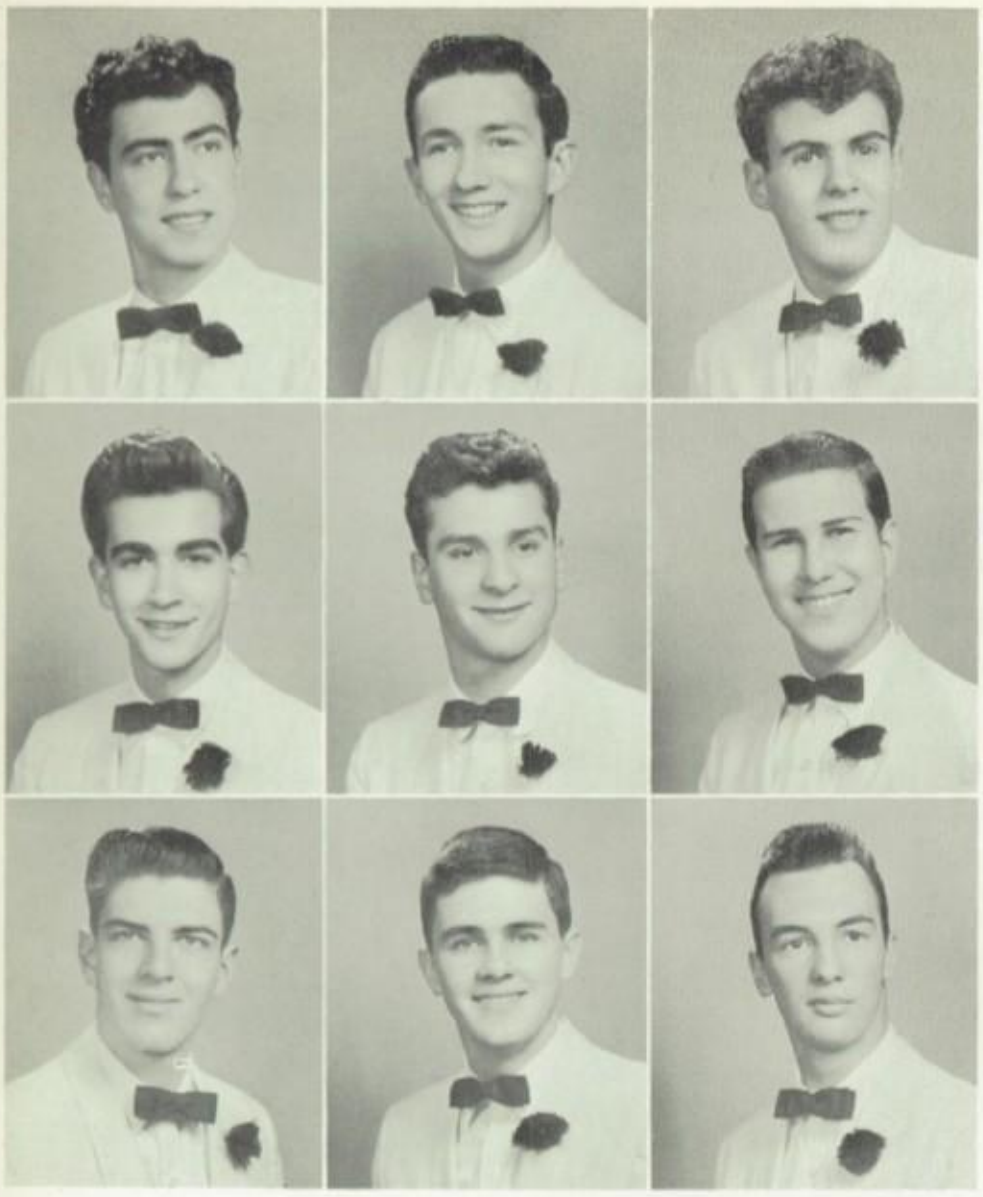

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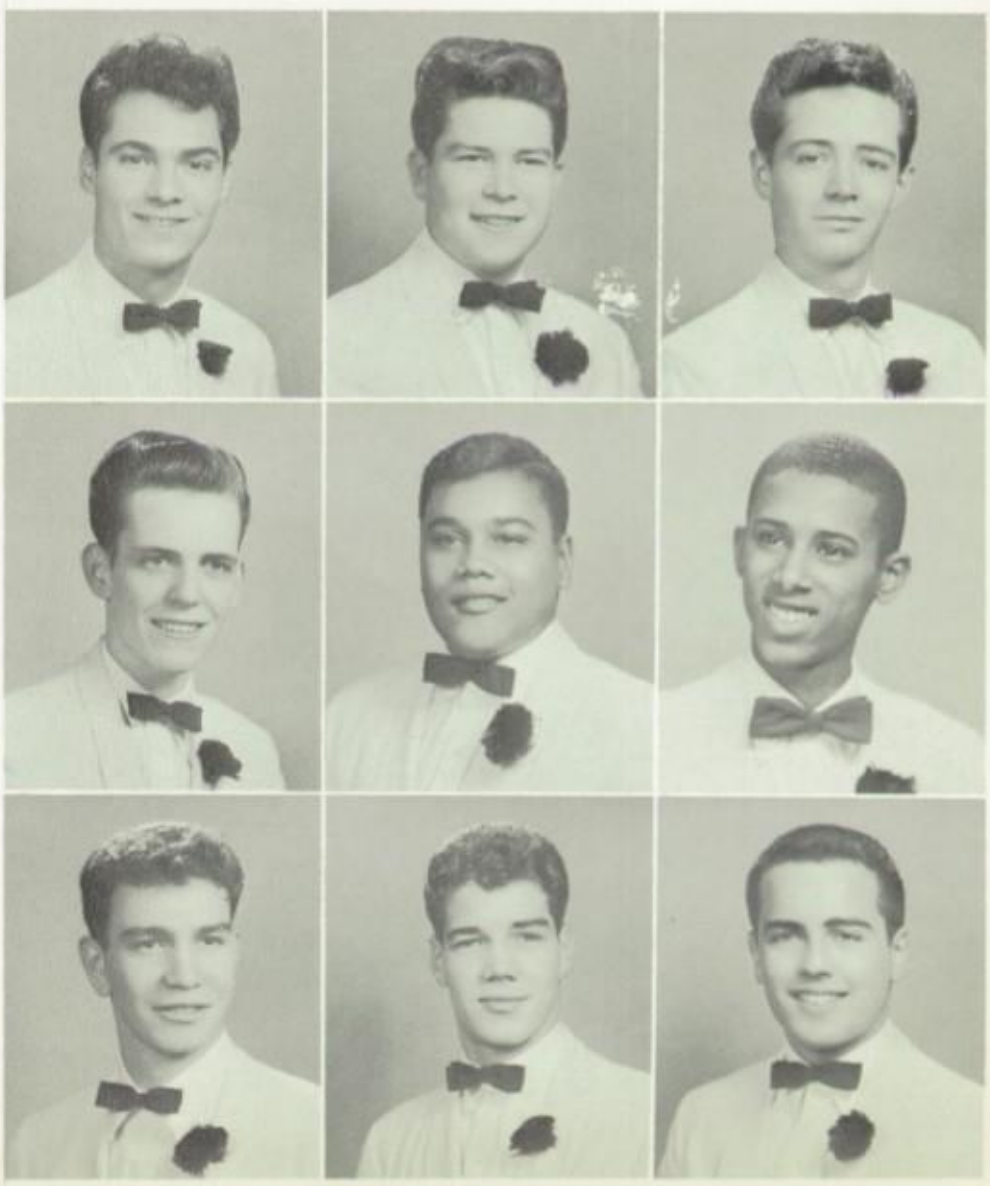

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DONALD THOMAS CAMPAGNA, 719 N. 64th Street, *St. Callistus,* Commercial.

HOWARD JOSEPH CAMPBELL, 6207 Girard Avenue, *Our Lady of the Rosary,* Commercial, Basketball 1.
DANIEL JOHN CAPODANNO, 6718 Media Street, *St. Callistus,* Science. Speech Club 1, Varsity Show 2 (Band), Orchestra 3, Band 3 (Captain), Drama Club 1, Honor Roll 11.
PATRICK LOUIS CARANFA, 6516 Harlan Street, *St. Donato,* Commercial, Music appreciation 1.

JAMES PATRICK CARR, 1800 Wynnewood Road, *Our Lady of Lourdes,* Science, Science Club 1, Football 3, Track 1, Music Appreciation 1.
RICHARD DOMINIC CECCHINE, 1325 N. 76th Street, *St. Callistus,* Science, Student Council 1, Science Club 1, Varsity Show 2, Chancellor 1, Football 4, Track 2, Bowling 1, Music Appreciation 1.
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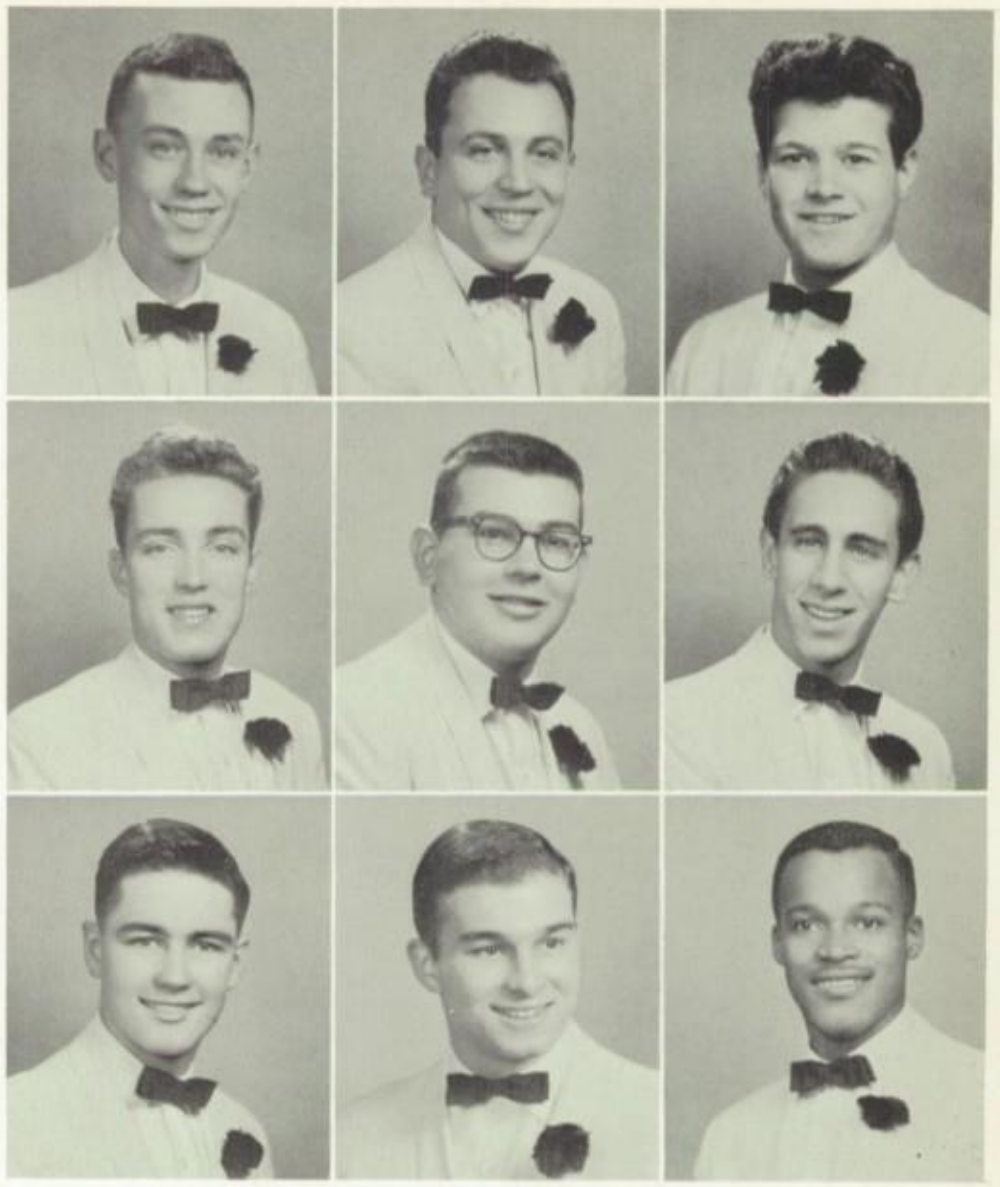

CHARLES ANTHONY CIRILLO, 1370 N. 76th Street, *St. Callistus,* Commercial, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Chancellor 1 (Typist), Music Appreciation 1.
ARMOND JOHN CIVERA, 651 N. 63rd Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Student Council 3, Basketball 1, Baseball 1, Music Appreciation 1, Cross-Country 1.
JOHNSON ELSWORTH COLLINS, 4942 Hoopes Street, *St. Ignatius,* Science, Drama Club 1, Utopian 1, This Semester 4, Chancellor 1, Basketball 1, Track 1, Cross-Country 2, Honor Roll 4.

ROBERT JOSEPH CONROY, 2069 N. 63rd Street, *Our Lady of Lourdes,* Academic, Cross-Country 1, Bowling 2, Track 1, This Semester 1.
JOSEPH CARMEN CORRADINO, 1432 N. Peach Street, *St. Gregory,* Science, Student Council 2 (President), Science Club 2, Varsity Show 4, Orchestra 1, Band 1, Chancellor 1, Football 3, Honor Roll 11, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.
THOMAS JOSEPH CORRIGAN, 5523 Oxford Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Football 1.

CHARLES JOSEPH CRAIG, 1448 N. 60th Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Science, Speech Club 1, Chancellor 1, Football 1.
THOMAS RICHARD CROMPTON, 1664 N. Wilton Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial.
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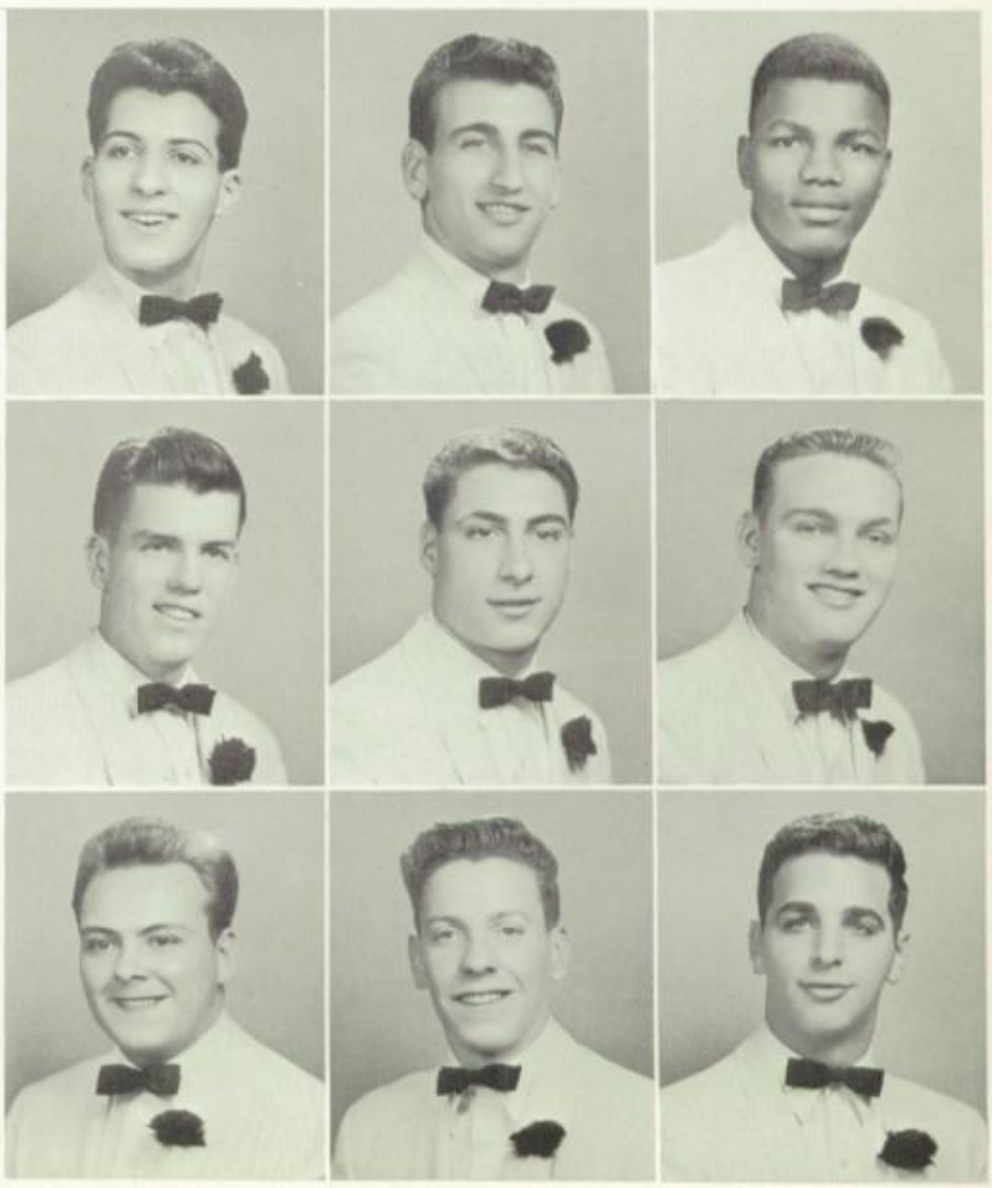

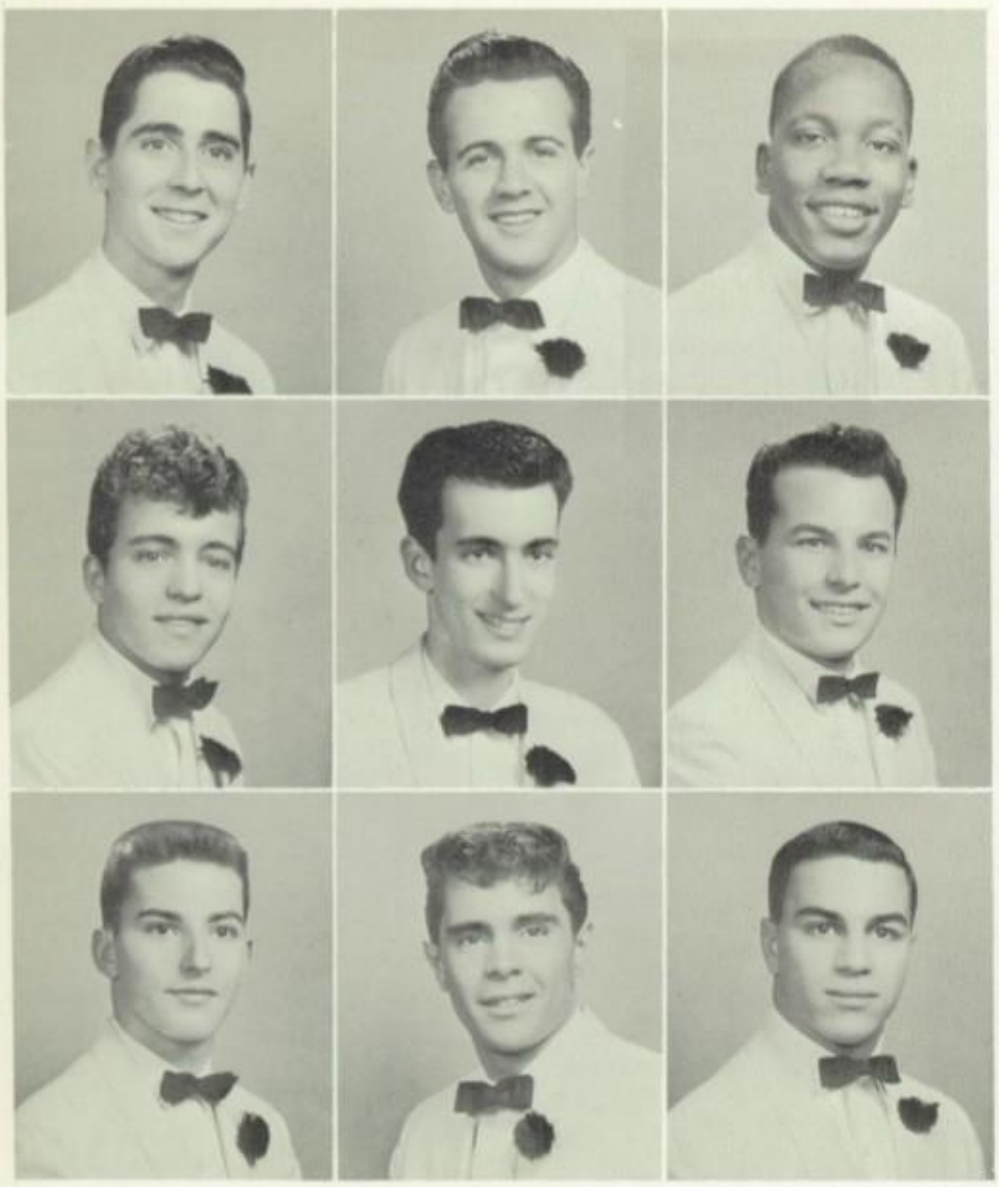

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FRANK AUGUSTINE D'ANTONIO, 444 N. Simpson Street, *St. Donato, Commercial.*
LAWRENCE ALTON DAVIS, 664 N. 34th Street, *St. Agatha,* Science, Track 4, Cross-Country 4, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.

MICHAEL JOHN DeANGELIS, 6229 Lansdowne Avenue, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial.
PASQUALE AMEDIO DeANGELO, 1322 N. 50th Street, *Our Lady of Angels,* Science, Drama Club 1, Utopian 1, This Semester 1, Chancellor 2, Glee Club 1.
STEPHEN MICHAEL DelGUERCIO, 1140 Atwood Road, *St. Callistus,* Science, Football 1.

JOSEPH LOUIS Della GUARDIA, 222 N. Simpson Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Drama Club 2, Orchestra 2, Band 2, Music Appreciation 1.
LOUIS JOSEPH DeNOBLE, 1221 N. 53rd Street, *Our Lady of Angels,* Commercial, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 2, Track 1 (Manager), Cross-Country 1 (Manager).
THOMAS JOSEPH DePAUL, 7336 Woodcrest Avenue, *St. Callistus,* Science, Varsity Show 2, Football 4, Track 1, Baseball 1, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.

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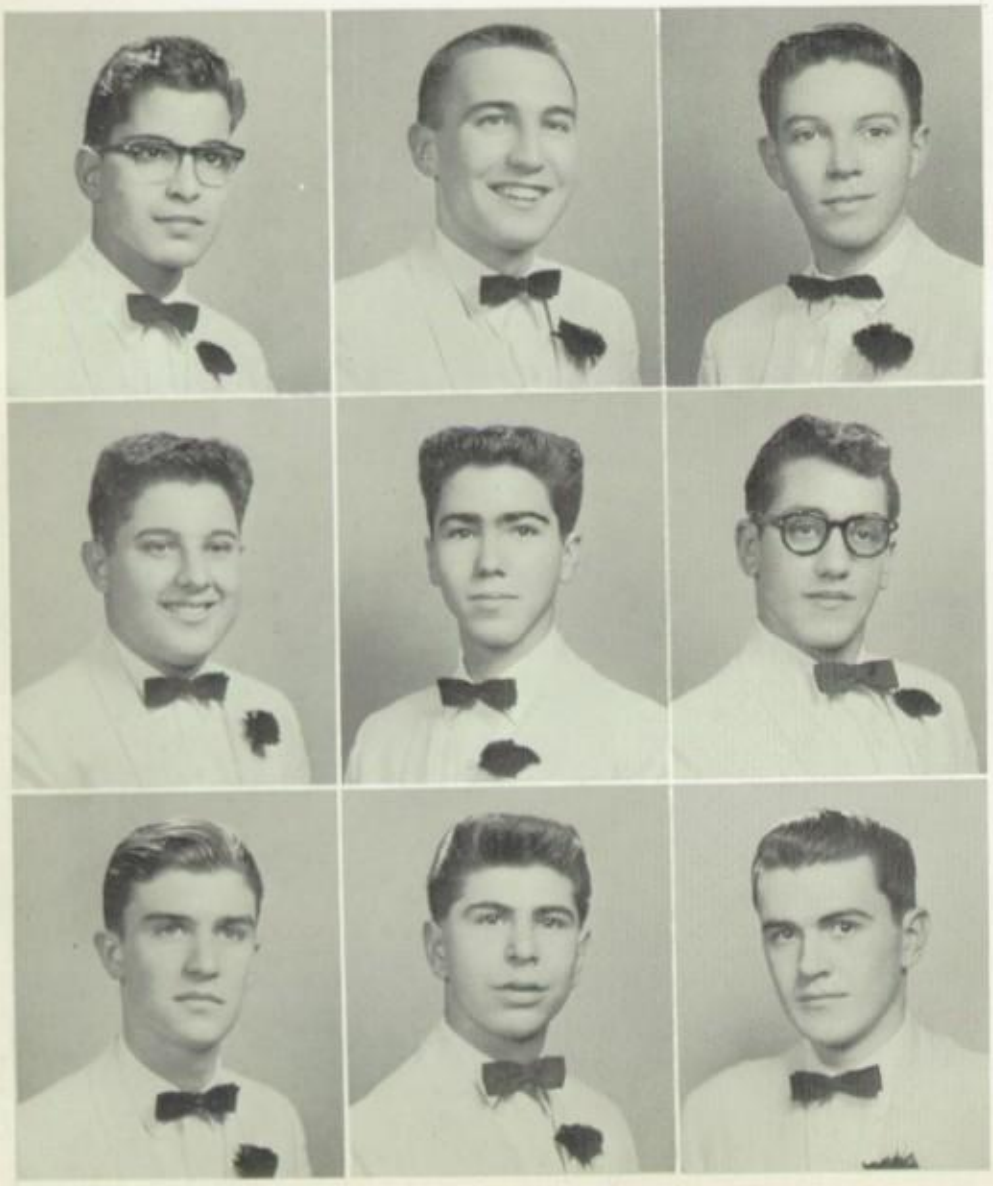

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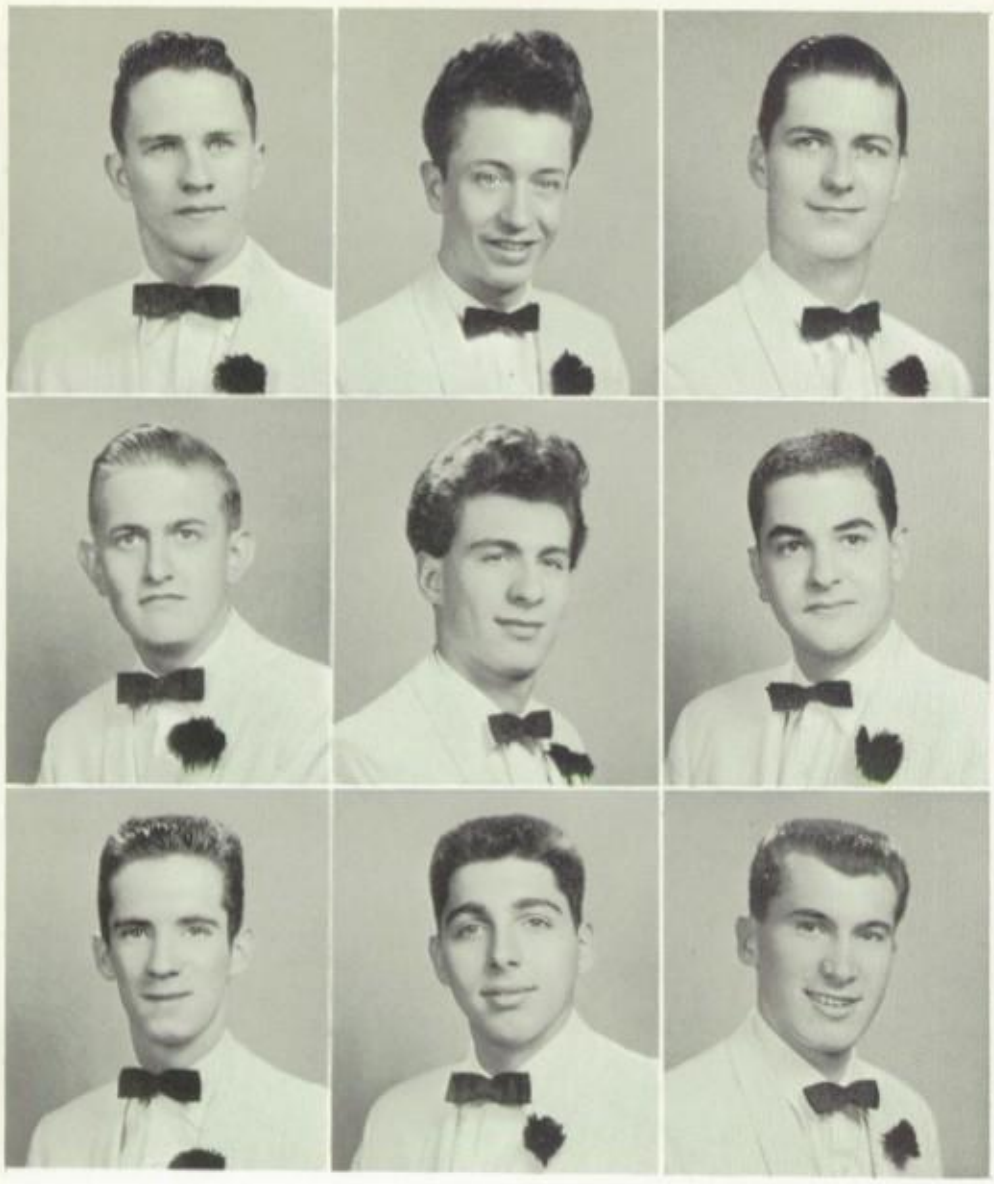

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WILLIAM FRANCIS FEENY, 1662 N. Allison Street, *St. Gregory,* Science, Student Council 2 (Secretary), Science Club 2 (President), Speech Club 2, Drama Club 2 (President), Varsity Show 3, Orchestra 4, Band 4 (Sgt., Lieut. 2), Utopian 1 (Co-Editor), This Semester 4, Chancellor 3 (Editorial Editor 2), Honor Roll 13.

DONALD JOHN FEESER, 5103 Columbia Avenue, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Knights of Mary 4 (Secretary), Chancellor 1 (Typist).
THOMAS ARCHANGELO FERRARA, 885 N. 66th Street, *St. Callistus,* Science.
DAVID FEUGET FILIPPONE, 2101 Upland Way, *Our Lady of Lourdes,* Science, Drama Club 1, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.

WILLIAM JOSEPH FINEGAN, 49th and Wyalusing Avenue, *St. John's Home,* Academic, Knights of Mary 1, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Cheer Leader 1, Honor Roll 4.
JOSEPH ANTHONY FINIO, 451 N. 65th Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Knights of Mary 3 (Vice-President), Varsity Show 3 (Band), This Semester 1, Orchestra 4, Band 4 (1st Lieut.), Chancellor 1, Honor Roll 4, Drama Club 1.
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JOHN PHILIP FLANAGAN, 6136 Media Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Science, Drama Club 1.
JOHN MICHAEL FORD, 233 Maypole Road, *St. Alice,* Science, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Chancellor 2, Basketball 2, Cheer Leader 1, Utopian 1 (Artist), This Semester 1.
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JOSEPH RONALD FRASCONE, 1512 N. 62nd Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Academic, Varsity Show 2, Drama Club 1, Science Club 2, Utopian 1 (Co-Editor), Chancellor 1, Speech Club 1, Honor Roll 14, This Semester 1.
JOHN CARTER GARRETT, 5904 Thompson Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial, Basketball 3.
JOHN JOSEPH GARTON, 1489 N. 53rd Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Chancellor 1, Football 4, Music Appreciation 1.

PETER ANTHONY GAUDIOSI, 317 N. 64th Street, *St. Donato,* Science.
DANIEL VINCENT GENTILE, 358 N. Simpson Street, *St. Donato,* Commercial, Student Council 1, Track 1.
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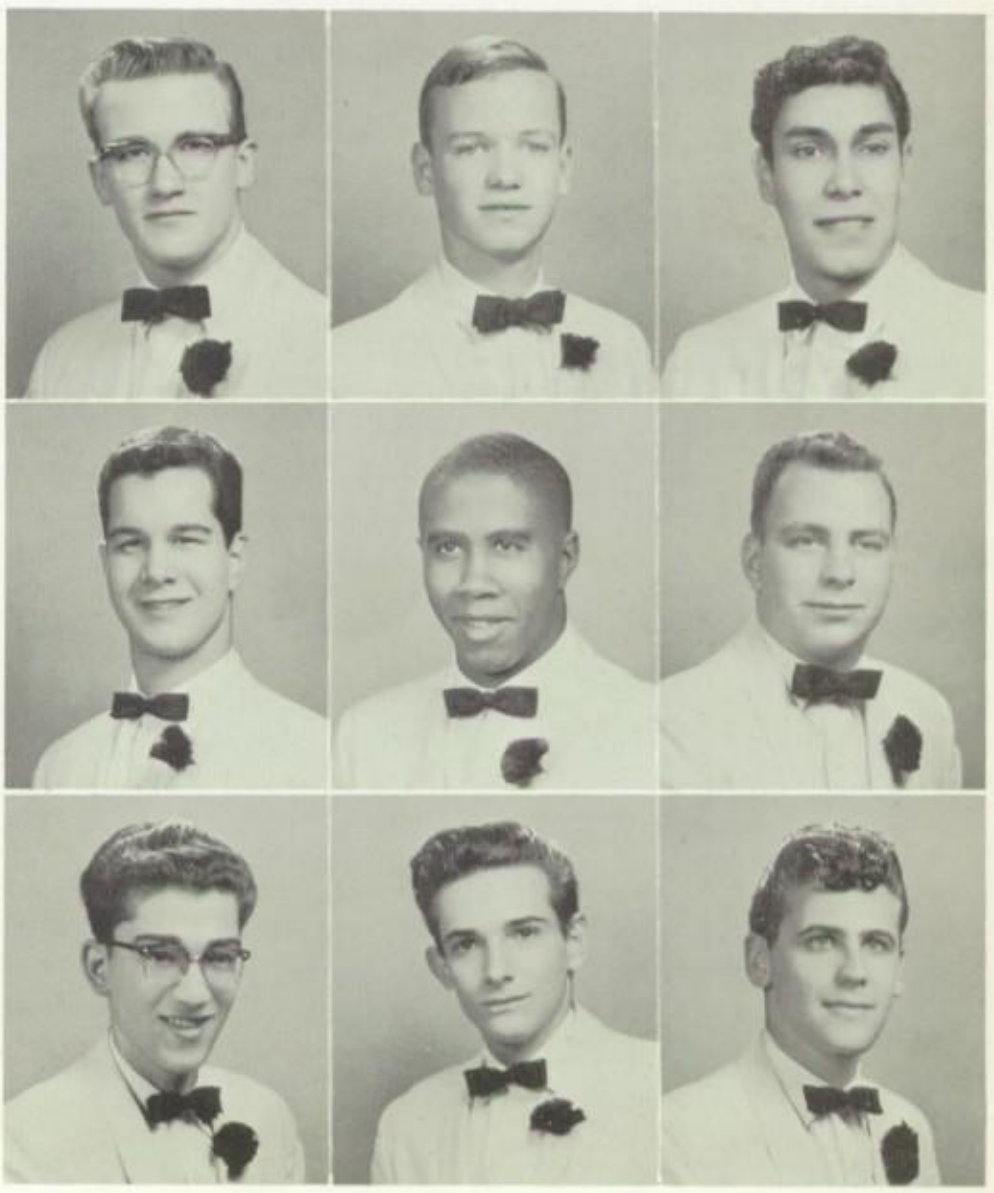

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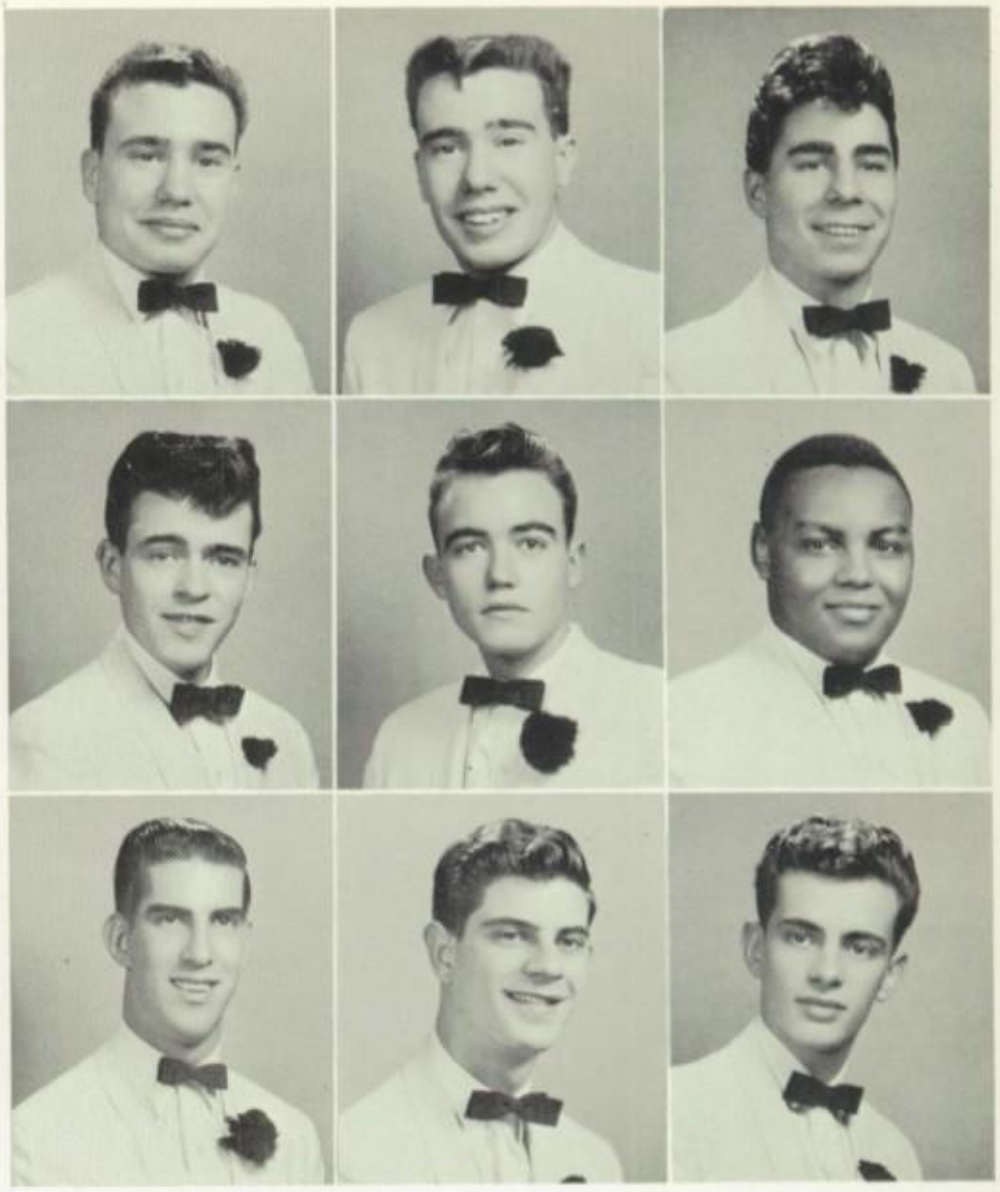
WILLIAM DAVID GIULIANI, 1029 Flanders Road, *St. Callistus, Science,* Knights of Mary 4 (President), Science Club 2, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1 (Stage Crew), Utopian 1, Chancellor 2 (News Editor), Cross-Country 2, Baseball 2, Cheer Leader 1, Honor Roll 13, This Semester 1.

JOSEPH FRANCIS GRAHAM, 6739 Lebanon Avenue, *St. Callistus,* Science, Varsity Show 2 (Stage Crew), Football 4.



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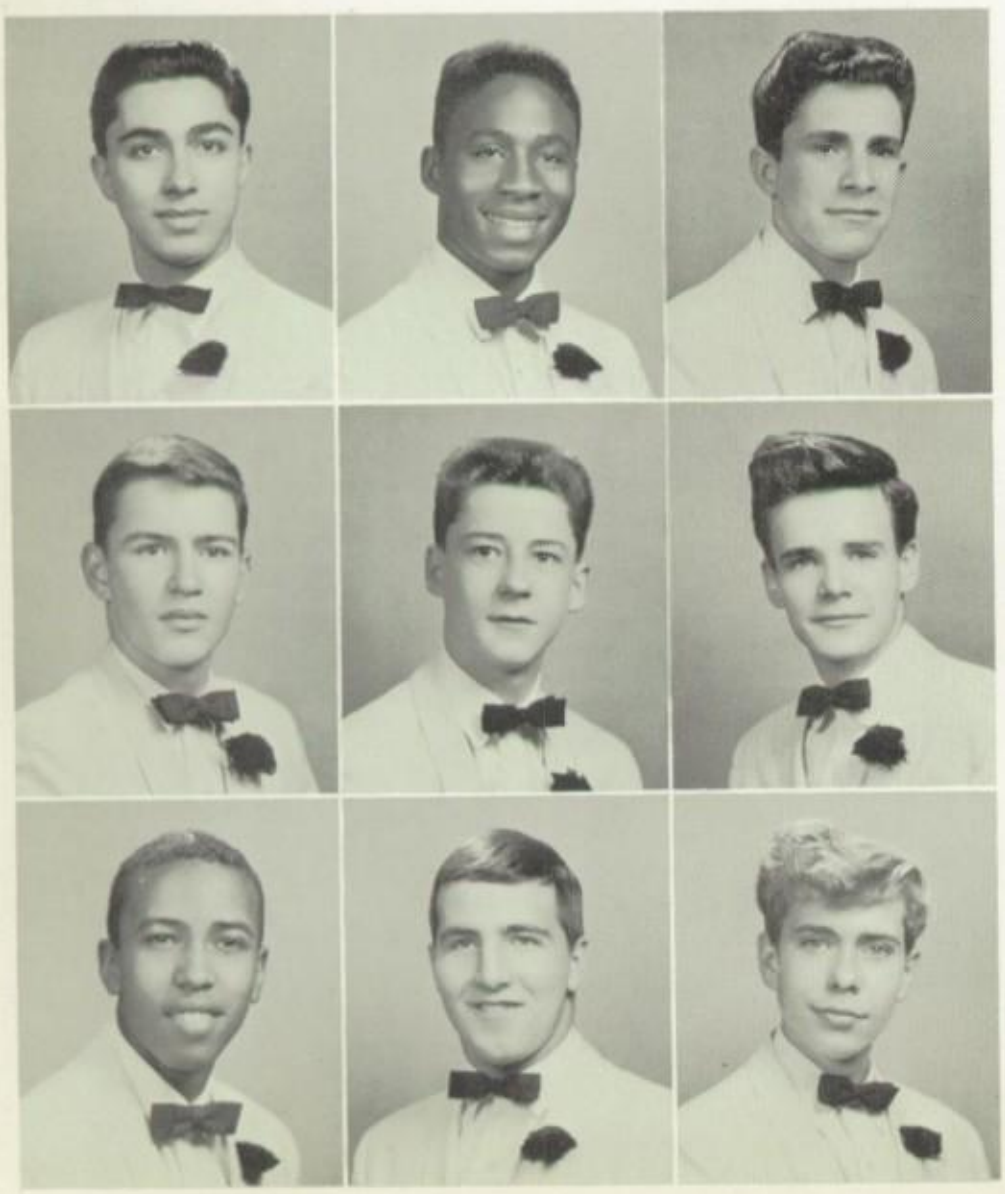
WILBUR WALTER HINSON, 4024 Spring Garden Street, *St. Agatha,* Commercial, Football 4, Basketball 2, Track 1, Baseball 1.

EDWARD LOE HOOD, 5415 Jefferson Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Football 2, Golf 4.

RICHARD MARINO INFORZATO, 662 N. 52nd Street, *Our Lady of Angels,* Science, Knights of Mary 2, Varsity Show 1, Music Appreciation 1, Band 1.

ALFRED CHARLES IOVANISCI, 238 N. 64th Street, *St. Donato,* Commercial, Band 2 (Sergeant), Chancellor 1, Cheer Leader 1, Glee Club 1.



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WESLY RICHARD JOHNSON, 2018 Jefferson Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial.

WILLIAM ANTHONY KANE, 1039 N. 67th Street, *St. Callistus,* Science, Cross-Country 1.

JOHN JAMES KARLIN, 1526 N. Edgewood Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial, Drama Club 1, Cross-Country 1.

FRANCIS JAMES KELLY, 1744 N. Felton Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial.

MICHAEL JOSEPH KELLY, 1202 N. 65th Street, *St. Callistus,* Commercial, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Track 3, Cross-Country 2.

JOHN WILLIAM KING, 525 N. Wanamaker Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial, Student Council 1, Track 4, Cross-Country 4.

JOHN WILLIAM LAMB, 12136 Aster Road, *Our Lady of Calvary,* Science, Chancellor 1, Football 4, Basketball 2, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.

JOHN WILLIAM LAVIN, 6716 Leeds Street, *St. Callistus,* Commercial.

JOSEPH JOHN LEONARDO, 649 Marlyn Road, *St. Callistus,* Science, Chancellor 1 (Photographer), Track 1, Cross-Country 1, Music Appreciation 1, Varsity Show (Stage Crew), This Semester 1.

EDWARD FRANCIS LONGSHORE, 1612 Woodmere Way, Havertown, Pa., *Annunciation,* Commercial.

EDWARD JOSEPH LOWERY, 6532 Lansdowne Avenue, *St. Donato,* Science, Student Council 2, Science Club 2, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Utopian 1, Chancellor 2 (Feature Editor), Cross-Country 1, Honor Roll 15, This Semester 1.

JOSEPH ANTHONY LUSI, 4004 Popuar Street, *Our Lady of Angels,* Commercial, Knights of Mary 2, Band 1, Chancellor 2 (Typist), Varsity Show 1.

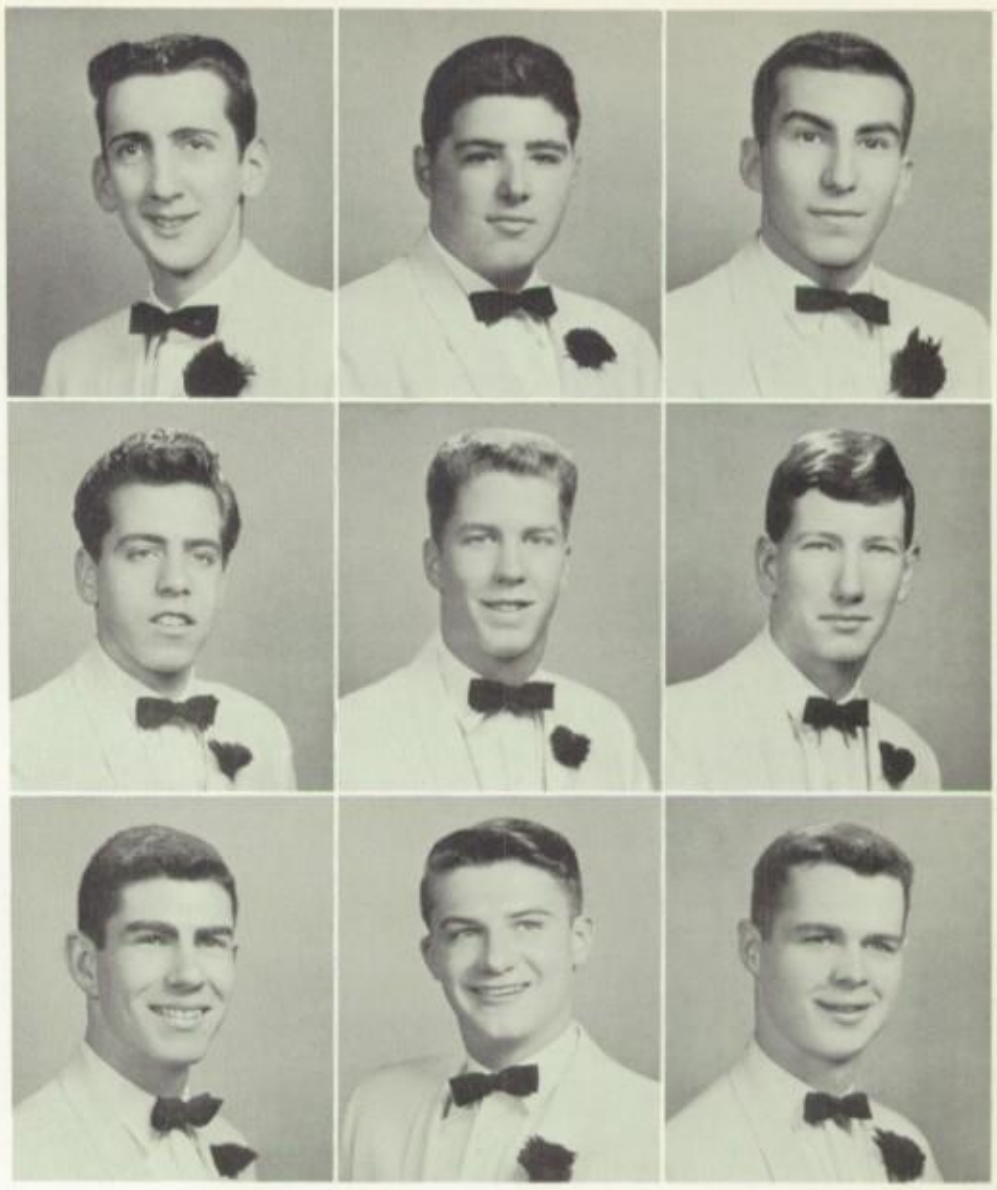
EDWARD BASIL McCAFFREY, 1024 Edgemore Road, *St. Callistus,* Science, Football 2, Cross-Country 1, Honor Roll 7.

BRIAN DANIEL McCARTHY, 1237 N. Allison Street, *St. Gregory,* Science, Football 3, This Semester 1.

KEVIN GEORGE McCULLEN, 6017 Jefferson Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Science, Student Council 2 (Vice-President), Science Club 1, Track 2 (Co-Captain), Chancellor 1, Cross-Country 2 (Co-Captain) 1, Cheer Leader 1, Honor Roll 9, This Semester 1.

ALBERT FREDERICK McDONALD, 134 Margate Road, Upper Darby, Pa., *St. Alice,* Commercial.

JOHN PATRICK McDONNELL, 1416 Greywall Lane, *Presentation B.V.M.,* Science, Student Council 2, Chancellor 1, Football 4 (Co-Captain), Basketball 4, Baseball 1.



THOMAS JOSEPH McGEE, 2102 N. Melvin Street, *St. Barbara,* Science, Speech Club 2, Science Club 2, Drama Club 1, Track 2, Utopian 1 (Asst. Editor), Chancellor 2, Golf 2, Honor Roll 11, Glee Club 1, This Semester 1.

WILLIAM FRANCIS McGEOWN, 1703 N. Redfield Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Academic, Track 1, Cross-Country 3, Cheer Leader 1.

THOMAS FRANCIS McGINNIS, 3606 Baring Street, *St. Agatha,* Commercial, Football 1.

EDWARD JAMES McGUCKIN, 119 Green Valley Road, Upper Darby, Pa., *St. Lawrence,* Commercial, Basketball 1, Cross-Country 1, Cheer Leader 1.

FRANCIS XAVIOR McGURK, 1534 N. 57th Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial, Varsity Show 2 (Stage Crew), Track 1.

CHARLES EDWARD McKEE, 1660 N. 62nd Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Academic, Chancellor 1.

JOSEPH BERNARD MACRONE, 4911 Hoopes Street, *Our Mother of Sorrows,* Commercial, Bowling 3.

LOUIS JAMES MAGINN, 1711 N. 61st Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Academic, Chancellor 1, Basketball 2, Track 1, Cheer Leader 1.

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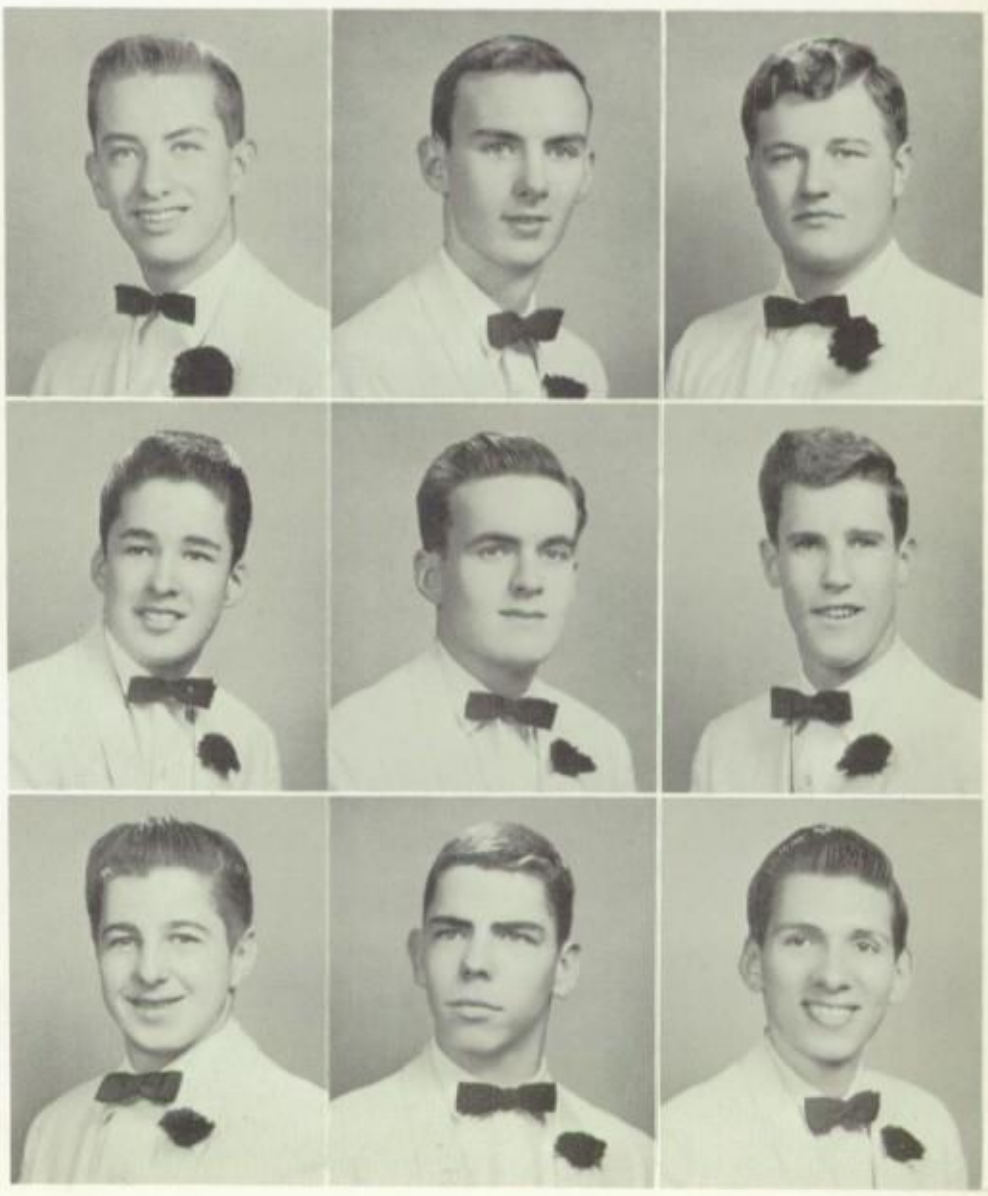

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MICHAEL ANTHONY MARINELLI, 1589 N. 52nd Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Football 2, Basketball 1, Baseball 2.

SAMUEL DAVID MARK, 7339 Ruskin Road, *St. Callistus,* Science, Science Club 1.
ALBERT PHILIP MASSARO, 4039 Cambridge Street, *Our Lady of Angels,* Commercial, Baseball 1.
MICHAEL FILIPPO MEMOLI, 705 N. 64th Street, *St. Donato,* Commercial.

ROBERT EARL MOORE, 724 Edgemore Road, *St. Callistus,* Science, Knights of Mary 2, Student Council 3, Drama Club 2, Utopian 1, Chancellor 1, World Affairs Club 1.
MARTIN JOHN MORAN, 6141 Columbia Avenue, *Our Lady of Lourdes,* Commercial, Drama Club 1, Chancellor 1, Baseball 1, Golf 2.
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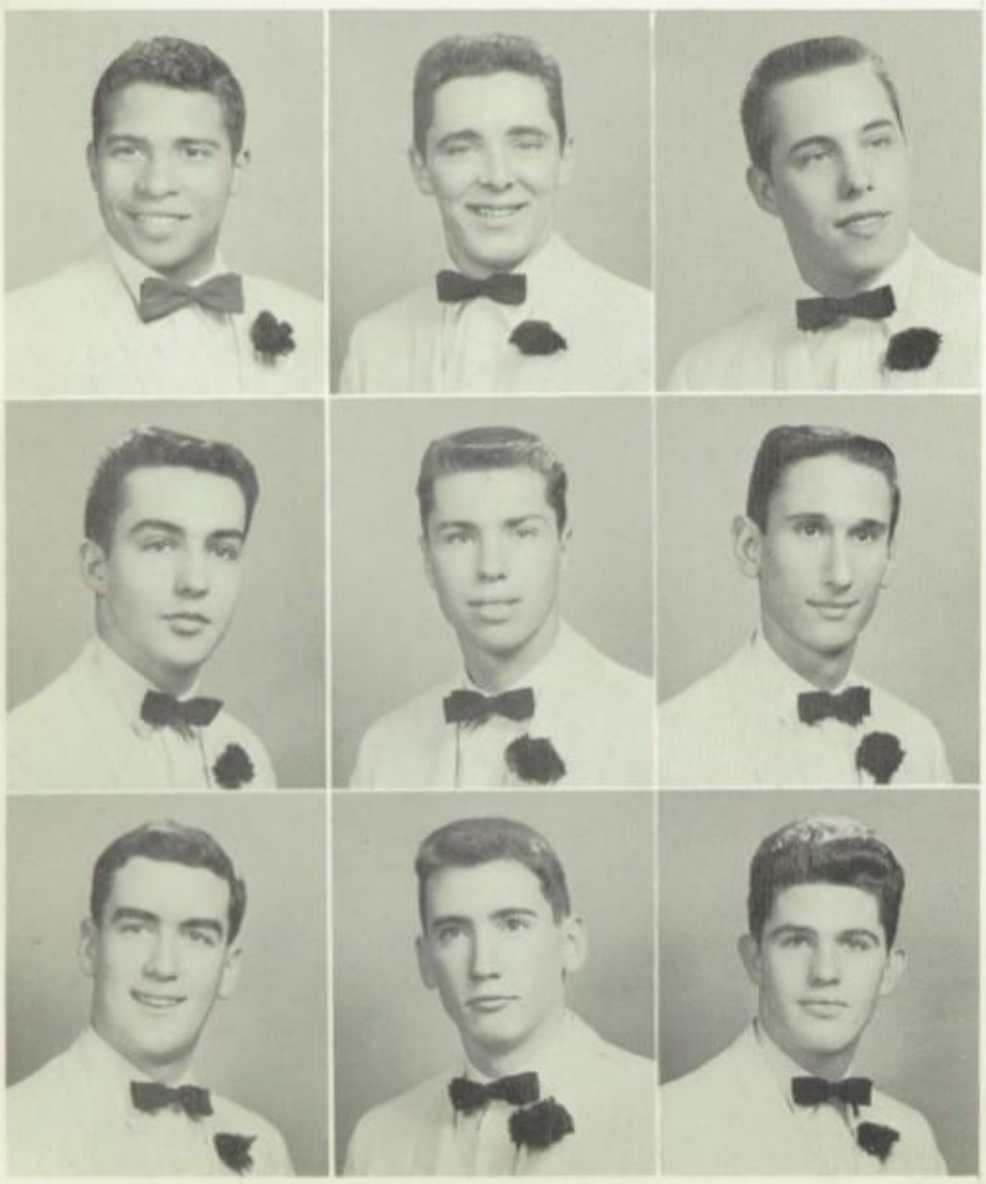

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JAMES ANDREW MORRIS, 1726 N. 51st Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Football 4, Baseball 4.
FRANCIS JOSEPH MULLEN, 5176 Heston Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Knights of Mary 3, Chancellor 1 (Typist), Football 1, Cross-Country 1, Baseball 3.

MICHAEL ALFRED MUNZ, 40 S. Redfield Street, *Our Lady of the Rosary,* Commercial, Drama Club 2 (Stage Crew), Chancellor 1, Track 1, Cross-Country 1.
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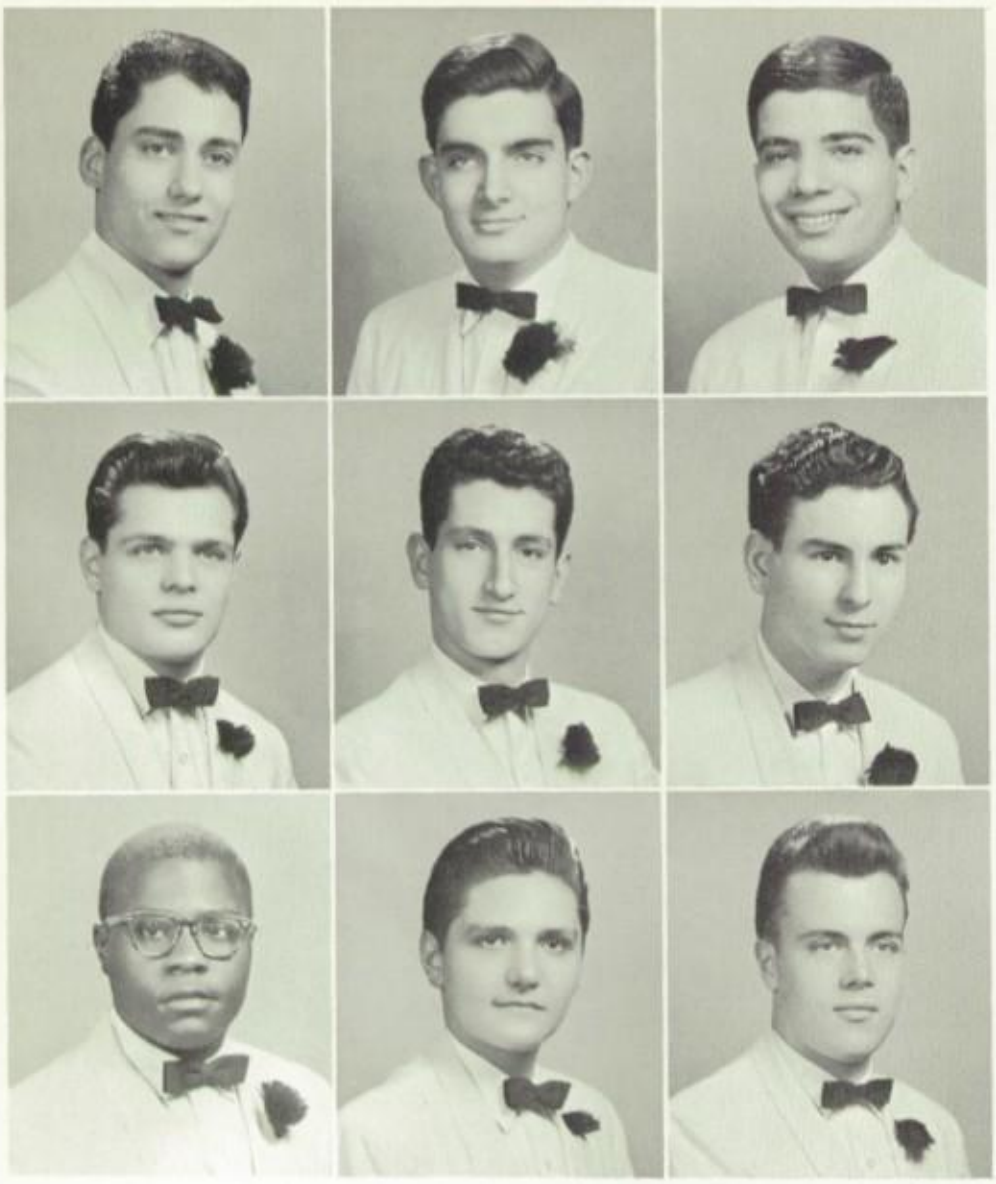

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LOUIS AMILCARE PALENA, 6348 Montgomery Avenue, *Our Lady of Lourdes,* Academic, Drama Club 2 (Treasurer), Varsity Show 2, Orchestra 2, Chancellor 1, Basketball 1, Track 1, Glee Club 1, Honor Roll 5, This Semester (Asst. Editor) 1.
JOSEPH RALPH PAPA, 6404 Vine Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Drama Club 1 (Stage Crew), Varsity Show 1 (Stage Crew), Bowling 1, Glee Club 1.

SALVATORE THOMAS PERRETTA, 4231 Shelmire Avenue, *St. Bernard,* Science, Chancellor 1, Football 2, Basketball 1, Track 1, Cross-Country 1, Baseball 3, This Semester 1.
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GARY JOHN PICCOLI, 637 Beverly Drive, *St. Theresa,* Science, Chancellor 1 (Photographer), Utopian 1 (Photographer), Varsity Show 1 (Stage Crew).

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ROCCO LOUIS POLSELLI, 314 N. 65th Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Drama Club 1 (Stage Crew).
ALDO ALFRED PRESTILEO, 414 N. 65th Street, *St. Donato,* Science.

LOUIS PATRICK PROCARIO, 5214 Stiles Street, *St. Gregory,* Commercial, Student Council 1, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Chancellor 1, Track 2, Cross-Country 2.
JOHN FRANCIS REUSS, 6004 Jefferson Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Commercial.
ANTHONY FRANK RICCIARDI, 618 N. 66th Street, *St. Donato,* Commercial, Track Team 1 (Manager), Cross-Country 1 (Manager).

EDWARD WILLIAM RIMMER, 1728 N. Redfield Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Science, Chancellor 1, Track 1, Cross-Country 1, Glee Club 1.
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PAUL JOSEPH SCARAMUCCI, 432 N. Daggett Street, *St. Donato,* Science, Drama Club 1, Varsity Show 1, Glee Club 1, This Semester 1.
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KIRBY JOSEPH SCOTT, 1727 N. Redfield Street, *St. Rose of Lima,* Science, Drama Club 1, Chancellor 1, Track 4 (Co-Captain), Cross-Country 3, Cheer Leader 1, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1, Varsity Show 1 (Stage Crew).
JAMES JOHN SHARKEY, 191 Springton Road, Upper Darby, *St. Alice,* Commercial, Student Council 1.
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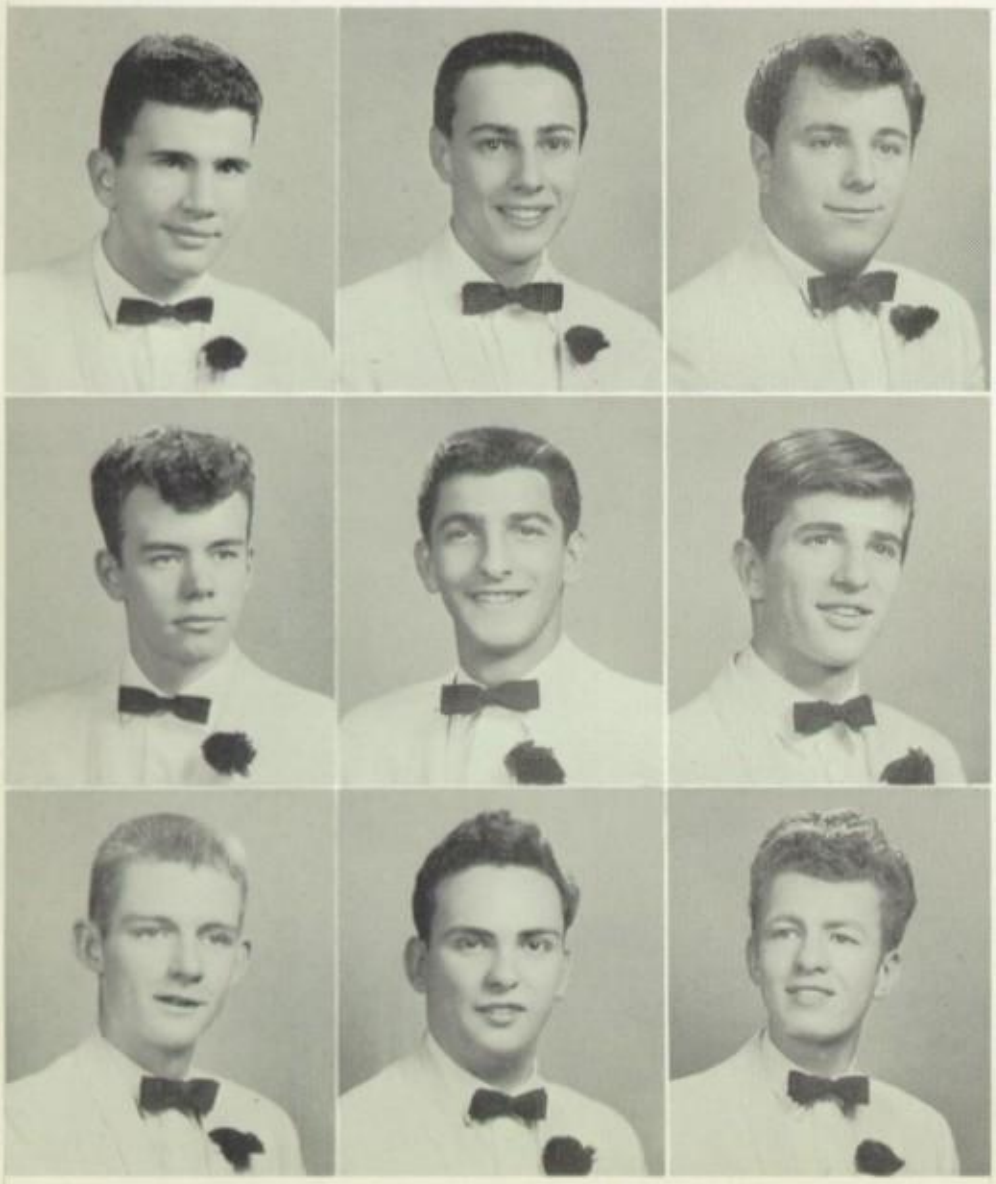

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FRANCIS LOUIS TOMASSETTI, 981 N. 66th Street, *St. Callistus,* Commercial, Knights of Mary 4 (Treasurer), Drama Club 1 (Secretary), Cheer Leader 1, Varsity Show 1 (Stage Crew), Football 1, Track 2, Cross-Country 1, Music Appreciation 1.

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JOSEPH NUNZIO VERDECCHIO, 4915 W. Thompson Street, *Our Mother of Sorrows,* Academic, Drama Club 2, Varsity Show 3, Chancellor 1, Glee Club, Music Appreciation 1, This Semester 1.

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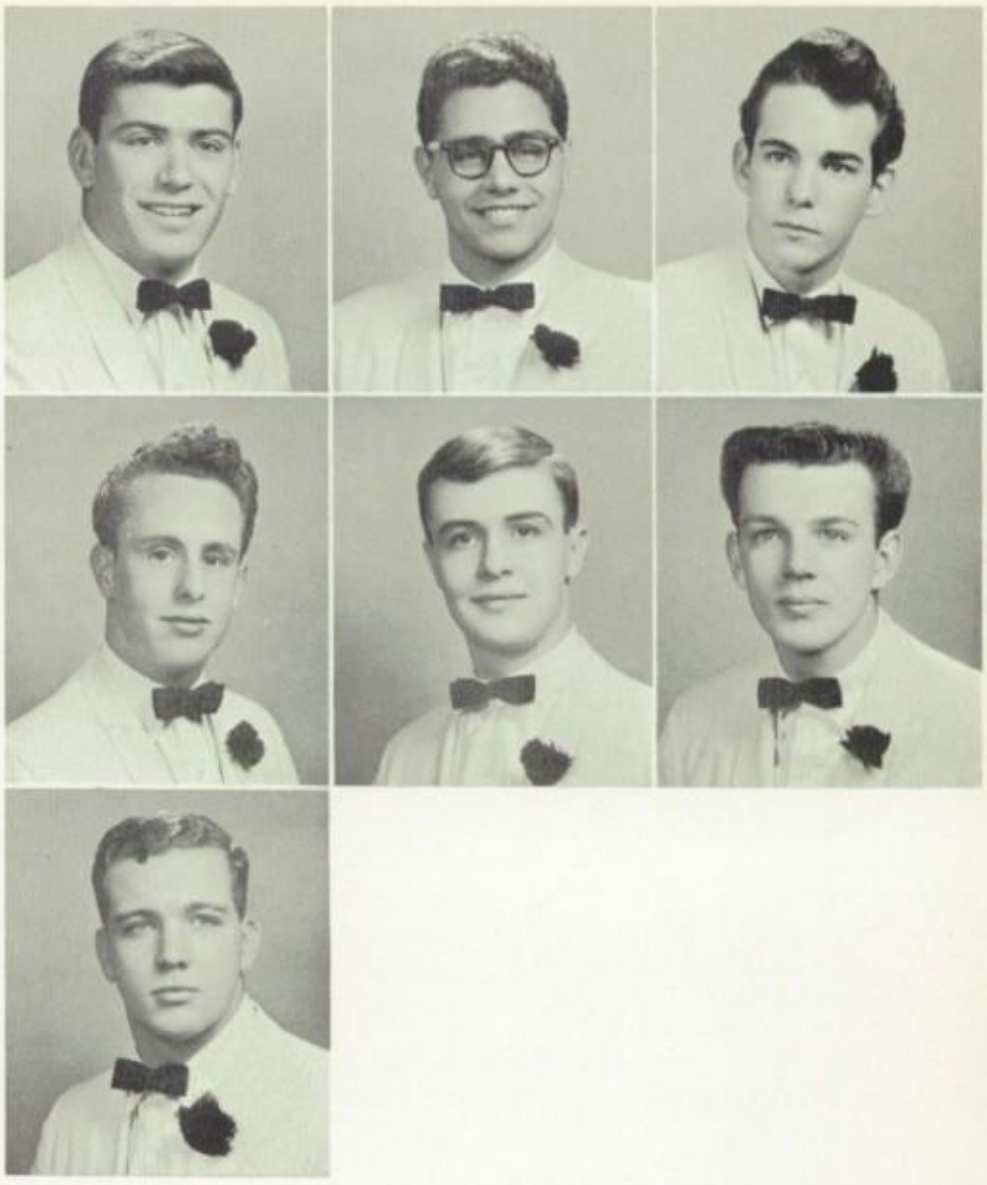

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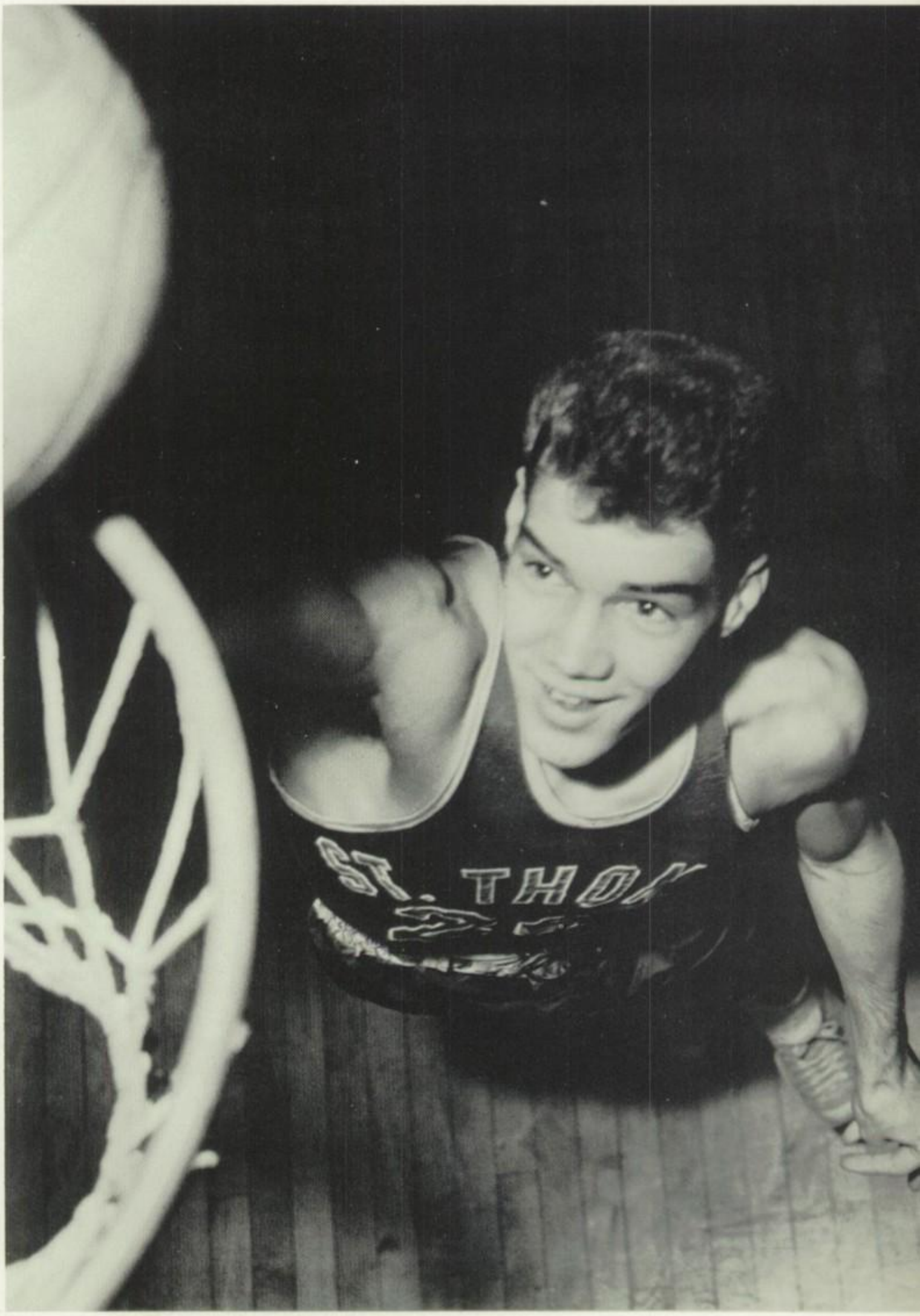

ST. THO

As the final bell reverberates through the corridors, one sees books dropped so that students may lend their adroitness to our various athletic teams. In doing this a student rounds out a true education. He not only fashions his mind, but in competing in athletics he sculptures a sound body. In addition to furthering himself, he promotes the name of his school.

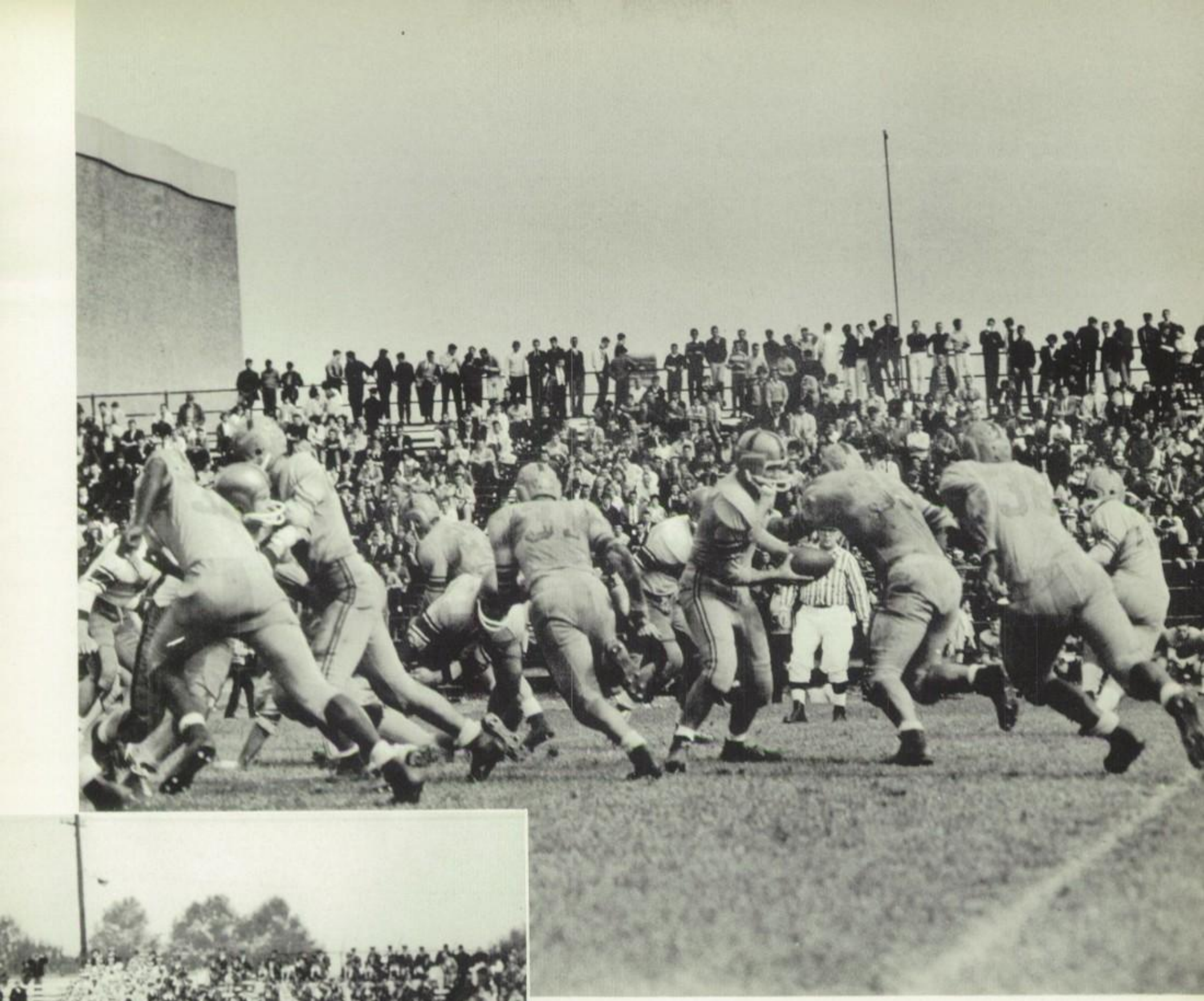
Athletics

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM — (Left to Right)
First Row: R. Cugini, M. DiRocco, T. Cugini, J. Garton, J. Corradino, D. Quartapella, J. Johnson, F. Verticelli, J. Lebano, A. D'Orazio, J. McCrea, C. McCaffrey. *Second Row:* T. Cupples, H. O'Neill, F. McGary, D. Ryan, W. Hinson, J. Lamb, F. DiDonato, B. Lerro, T. DePaul, W. Jester, J. Morris, J. Ettore, R. Cecchine. *Third Row:* J. Karnis, P. Martin (Asst. Coach), J. D'Alessandro, B. McDonnell, R. Zell, B. McCarthy, J. Carr, J. Faragalli (Coach), T. McGowan (Asst. Coach), C. Perretta, J. McDonnell, L. White, W. DeFelice, B. Dorsey, J. Graham, A. McLean, D. Diehl (Asst. Coach).

SCOREBOARD	S. T. M.
West Catholic 16	6
North Catholic 6	13
La Salle 20	0
Father Judge 12	38
Monsignor Bonner 39	2
Bishop Neumann 18	0
Cardinal Dougherty 0	14
Roman Catholic 6	6
St. James 8	0
Overbrook 6	26

John McDonnell, All-Catholic end, goes long to snare a pass. Performances like this have made Johnny one of the most valuable men on our team. In numerous games this year Johnny has played both ways offensively and defensively.

FOOTBALL



17, 23, 32, Hike! Bill Lerro fakes the ball to fullback Bob Zell and then hands off to halfback Willy Hinson. This play probably called for Willy to run over right tackle which is just what he did to pick up a first down.

Quarterback Bill Lerro throws long towards the sidelines against Cardinal Dougherty as Jack Lamb and Joe Graham stand ready to protect him. Bill, one of the best quarterbacks in the city, has gained great yardage this year by passing. His favorite targets were Dave Ryan and John McDonnell. His fine passing and play-calling have awarded him All-Catholic honorable mention.

Under Coach Faragalli the football team has made all its backers proud, finishing the season with a slate of four wins, five losses and one tie. This may not appear to be a very good record but when you consider how small the enrollment of St. Thomas More is, compared with other schools, we are justly proud. We seniors are especially proud because this team's won and lost record is the best in our four years.

When we, the class of '61, first came to St. Thomas More, we were filled with amazement. Even the simple changing of classes was something new and exciting. Another highlight was our first pep rally. We looked up at the mighty seniors in the balcony who were leading the cheering and thought that the day would never come when we would be there. But the event which really thrilled us was the experience of our first high school football game.

Mr. Faragalli, our head coach, discusses a scouting report with his fellow coaches. Left to right are: Mr. McGowan, backfield coach; Mr. Martin, line coach; Mr. Faragalli; and Mr. Diehl, line coach. Conferences like these start preparations for Sunday's game.

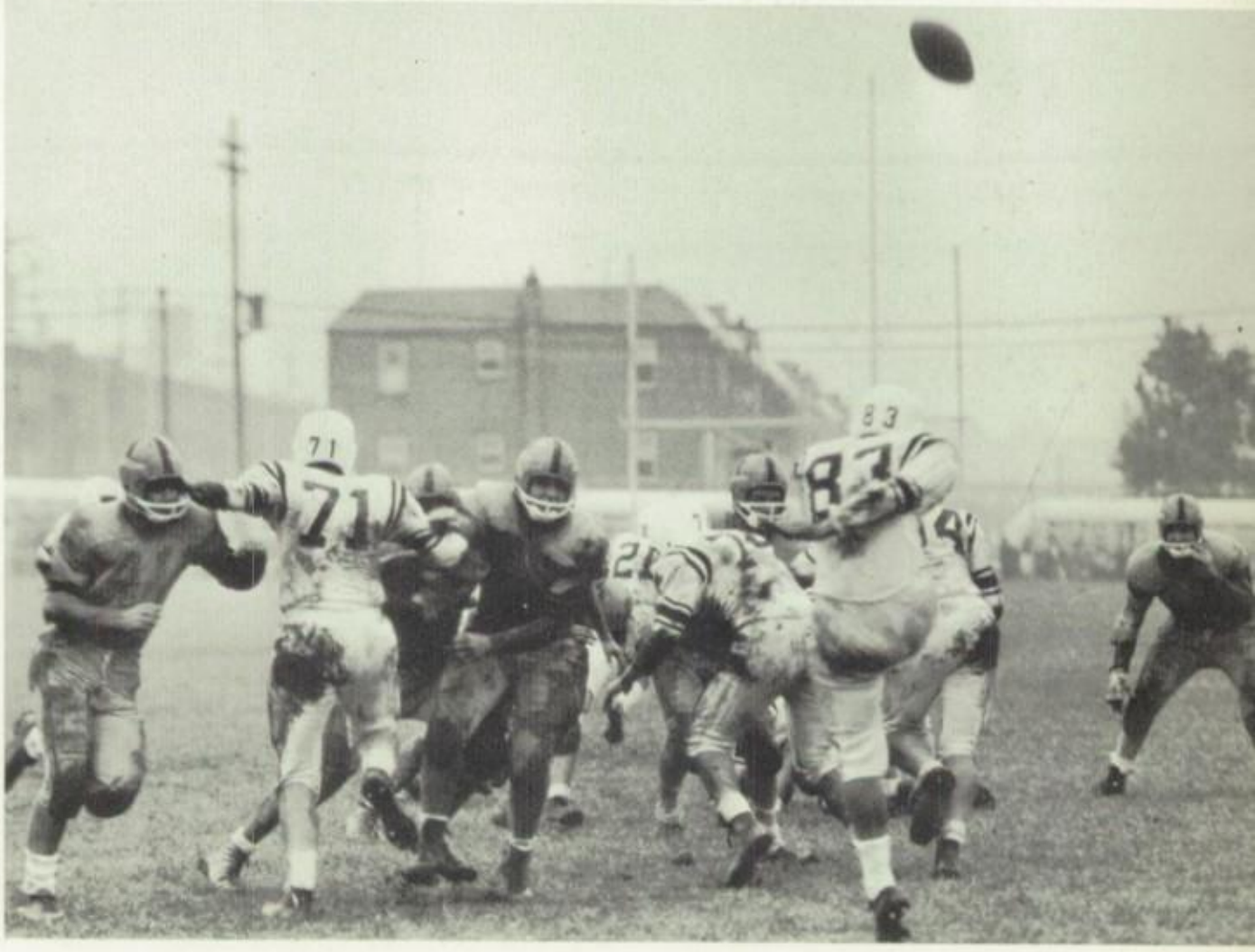
A football game does not consist of eleven brutes in an apparent Roman amphitheater trying to bash out his opponent's brains. It is a contest which represents torrid summer months of tiring, back-breaking, sweaty training, the precision timing of a clock, the skill of each individual player and the determination of all who have anything to do with the squad.

Here at St. Thomas More we have such a team, a team that is not shaking the state or even the city with its wins but it is our team and that fact makes it better in our eyes than any other eleven in the country. You underclassmen may beg to differ with us seniors, thinking that only winning scores may be boasted of, but when you are ready to leave a school that has been your life for four years, you will know in your hearts how we feel.

Joe Corradino, one of our fast moving backs, knocks down goal line pass against West. Joe is not only an outstanding runner but also a skilled defensive back.

Carl Perretta and Bob Zell put a hard rush on West's punter. A hard charging defensive line is a potent factor in a close game.

Wilbur Hinson makes for the wide open spaces as Tom DePaul throws a nifty block on a Bonner defender. Wilbur's hard running was a big factor in our successful season.



J.V. FOOTBALL SQUAD — *First Row* (Left to Right) — R. DiRocco, W. Ficco, G. McCrea, R. Cugini, J. Johnson, T. Cugini, J. Lebano, A. D'Orazio. *Second Row:* F. McCarry, W. Jester, M. Drinks, B. McDonnell, C. McCafferty, F. DiDonato, L. White. *Third Row:* J. Coyle (Mgr.), J. D'Allessandro, B. Dorsey, J. Turso, Mr. Diehl (Coach), W. Hatcher, B. Ravilico, J. Karnis, C. Reiner (Mgr.), T. Hanna (Mgr.).

CATHOLIC LEAGUE AND CITY

VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM: Centered around Coach James Purcell is the finest group of ball players put out by S. T. M. in many years. They are *(left to right)*: John McDonnell (Co-Captain), Dan Clancy, John Garrett, Jim Vandergeest, Mike O'Meara, Joe Burton, Nick Balestra, Larry White, Lou Maginn, and Bob Zell (Co-Captain).

As West Catholic's defenders encircle Bobby Zell he passes off under the boards for an easy basket. Bobby has pulled off countless plays like the one below throughout the season. Besides being the playmaker, Bobby can also be counted on to score for the Golden Bears.

Joe Burton leaps high to grab a rebound as John McDonnell looks on. Joe has sparked the team to many a victory by combining rebounding along with his great scoring ability. Joe, who is S. T. M.'s top candidate for All-Catholic, was very effective in this win over St. Joseph, 50-44.

CHAMPIONS

J. V. SQUAD: This season has been a very successful one for the J. V. basketball team. Their coach, Mr. Paul Croley, has every reason to be proud of them. Zestful playmaking and shooting ability show great promise for the varsity next year.

To the victors go the spoils: Dan Clancy cuts down the net after St. Thomas More has just been crowned "City Champs." S. T. M. obtained this honor by beating John Bartram by a close 51-50.

All-Catholic center Joe Burton snares a rebound and attempts to drive past Cardinal Dougherty's Vince Richardson. This occurred during the Catholic League Championship Game. S. T. M. pulled out a 48-47 victory.

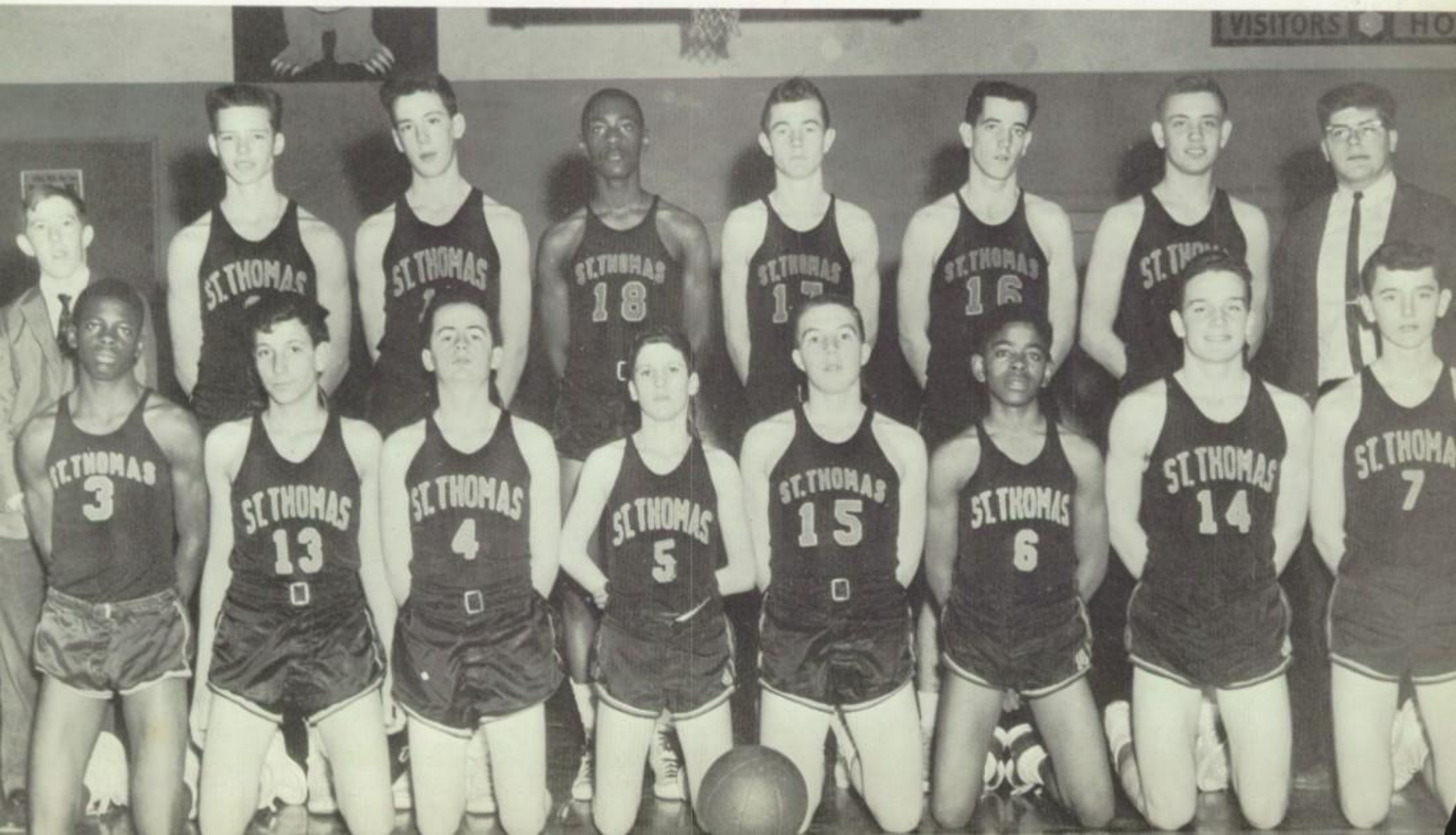
Bobby Zell, S.T.M. co-captain, drives past bewildered Cardinal Dougherty defender for an easy lay-up as teammate and co-captain John McDonnell looks on. Bobby carried this great playing ability into the City Championship game and was named "Most Valuable Player."

St. Thomas More	G.	F.	P.	Bartram	G.	F.	P.
White	5	2-4	12	Lohse	5	1-3	11
Garrett	2	0-1	4	Kefalos	2	0-0	4
Burton	7	0-4	14	Mobley	3	8-9	14
McDon'll	0	0-1	2	Spencer	2	0-0	4
Zell	3	5-5	11	O'Neal	4	5-10	13
O'Meara	1	1-2	3	Monroe	1	2-2	4
Van'geest	0	3-4	3	Anderson	0	0-0	0
Balestra	1	0-2	2				
Totals	20	11-23	51	Totals	17	16-24	50

St. Thomas More	11	15	14	11——51
Bartram	2	12	18	18——50

Officials: Art McNally, Tom McCollum

FRESHMEN BASKETBALL SQUAD: (*Left to right, kneeling*) C. Bell, D. Povine, F. Gallagher, J. McKee, J. Scott, G. Banner, J. Grant, W. Bradley. *Second row:* F. Quinlan (Manager), G. Murphy, J. MacGilivary, W. White, P. Minch, C. Peimer, M. Adgie, D. Brandt (Manager).



CROSS COUNTRY

This year's cross-country standout has been co-captain Joe Turner. Joe has brought many honors to St. Thomas More and this was the climax. Coach Kelly and Fr. McVeigh, team moderator, congratulate Joe as he accepts his medal after just winning the thrilling Catholic League championship race in record time.

Make way for the Golden Bears! Here come Kirby Scott, John King, Joe Turner, Tommy Carr, and Joe Woods. S.T.M.'s great cross-country season this year was centered mostly around these five men.

S.T.M.'s cross-country season this year was a very successful one. With its many standouts coming through in the clutch, the team chalked up seven wins and three losses overall. In the Catholic League Championship race, S.T.M. came in a strong third, just missing out on second place.

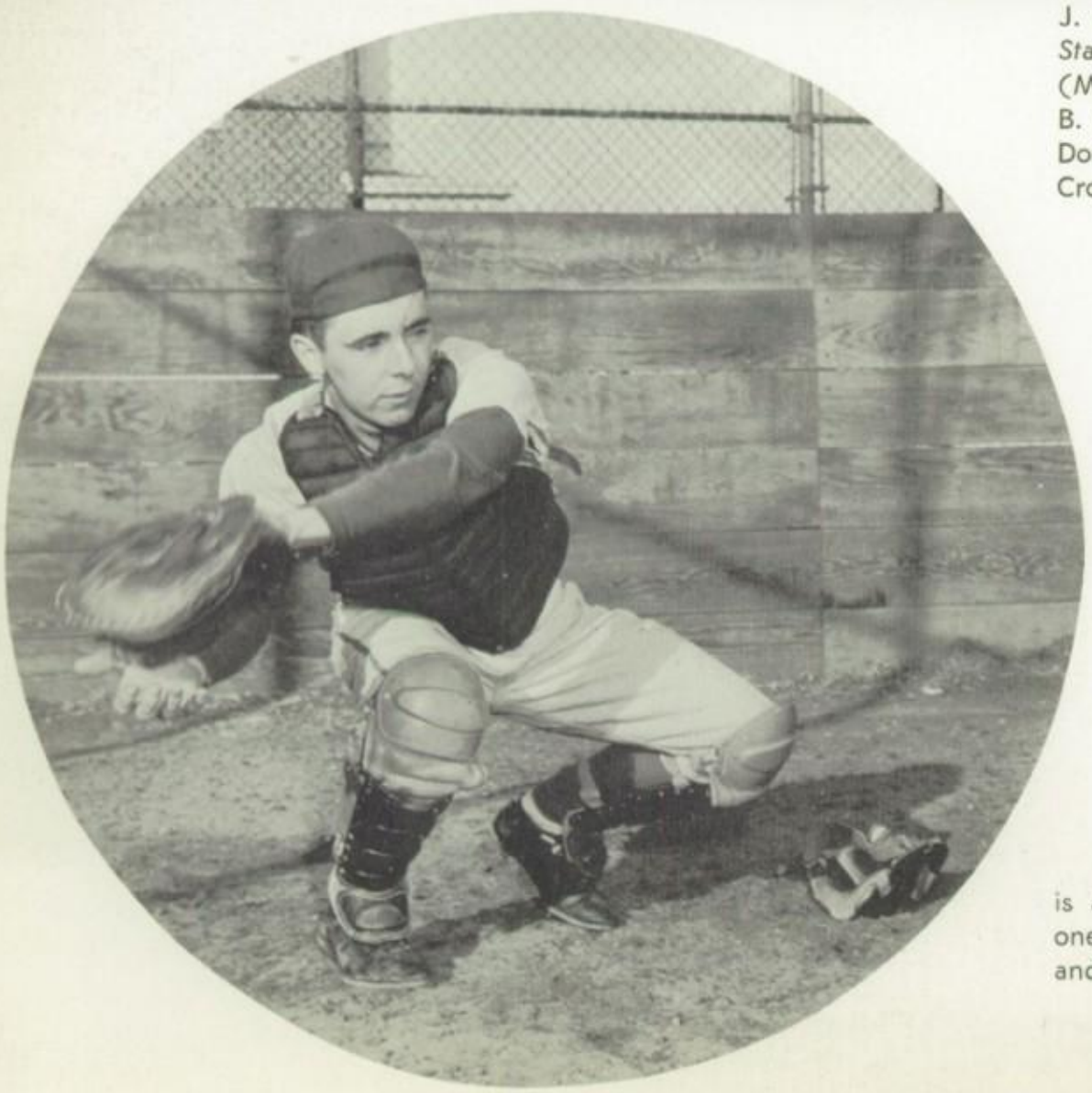
First Row (L. to R.): J. Frame, J. Reiner, F. Scott, A. D'Alessandro, F. Hughes, T. Girone, A. Piccolo, J. Bonfini, C. Dascenzo, M. Kelly, L. DeNoble, E. DeWitt (Manager). *Second Row:* N. Generette, F. Nolan, J. Dwyer, J. Turner, J. King, T. Carr, L. Davis, K. McCullen, K. Scott, M. O'Meara, W. Borrelli, B. Dorsey, M. Drinks, R. Cooper, F. McFall, S. Sydney. *Third Row:* C. Jannetti, W. Stinglin, J. Steward, A. Morinelli, R. Marascio, W. Giuliani, R. Kratzinger, R. McCullen, D. McCloskey, C. Reimer, M. O'Mara, W. Hampton, W. Brown, R. Peel, E. Hall, D. Zeoli, T. Donhue, V. Dinsmore, R. Price, M. Opuszynski, M. Liuzzi, S. Mannino, D. Leonardo, A. DeSipio, W. Thomas.

TRACK

Mike O'Meara, S.T.M.'s outstanding high - jumper, shows his grand form to co-captains Kevin McCullen and Joe Turner. Kevin and Joe have every reason to look pleased because Mike set a St. Thomas More school record when he soared 6'4" during the High School Inquirer Meet.

Borrelli, Scott, and Cooper show grim determination while working out on the low hurdles. Their teammates in the background eagerly await their turn.

Front Row (L. to R.): T. Hanna, J. Morris, L. Fiorella, J. Garton, J. Corradino, J. Hope, F. Brown, F. Mullen. *Standing (L. to R.):* J. McNally (Manager), J. Grenfell (Manager), J. McCrea (Manager), C. Collins, S. Peretta, B. Callahan, M. Marinelli, B. DiDaniels, J. Burton, J. McDonnell, D. Mariani, C. McCaffrey, J. D'Alessandro, Mr. Croley, Mr. Carey.



BASEBALL

A very important member of every baseball team is a good catcher. Pictured here is S.T.M.'s number one backstop, Jim Morris. Jim is one of the holdovers and mainstays of this year's squad.

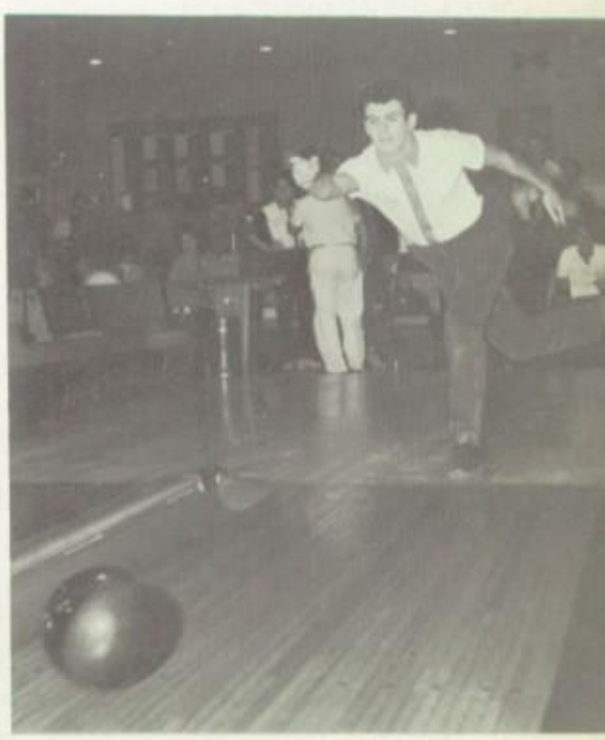
Ed Hood watches as his co-captain Tom McGee demonstrates the technique of playing a wedge from a difficult lie. These two boys have been the spark of the team for the past two years.

The 1961 Bowling Team: *Standing (Left to Right):* P. Vagnoni, A. Allegrini, B. DiPilippo, Fr. Green (Moderator), A. Martinelli, C. Testa, J. Papa. *Kneeling:* R. Cavota, J. Walsh, M. Perry, M. Monteleone, C. Gramenzi.

BOWLING

GOLF

These are the men chosen to represent St. Thomas More on the links. This year will hold better fortune for the golfers in Varsity, Catholic League competition. Many holdovers from last year's squad will mean a well experienced group and, we hope, many victories.



Anthony Allegrini displays the delivery which has made him one of T.M.'s foremost keglers for two consecutive years. Listen to those pins tumble!

In the ensuing pages will be found the hub of the social training of a high school. The school play . . . the Follies . . . the school newspaper . . . participation in activities such as these build a man capable of great heights. They provide the enjoyment of becoming acquainted with many of your fellow-students. Members of the staffs, casts, etc., benefit from the aforementioned because they are taught to put into practice the theory learned in the classroom.

Activities

IN ONE EAR

STUDENT COUNCIL

Student government is a requisite for teaching the student the true meaning of democracy.

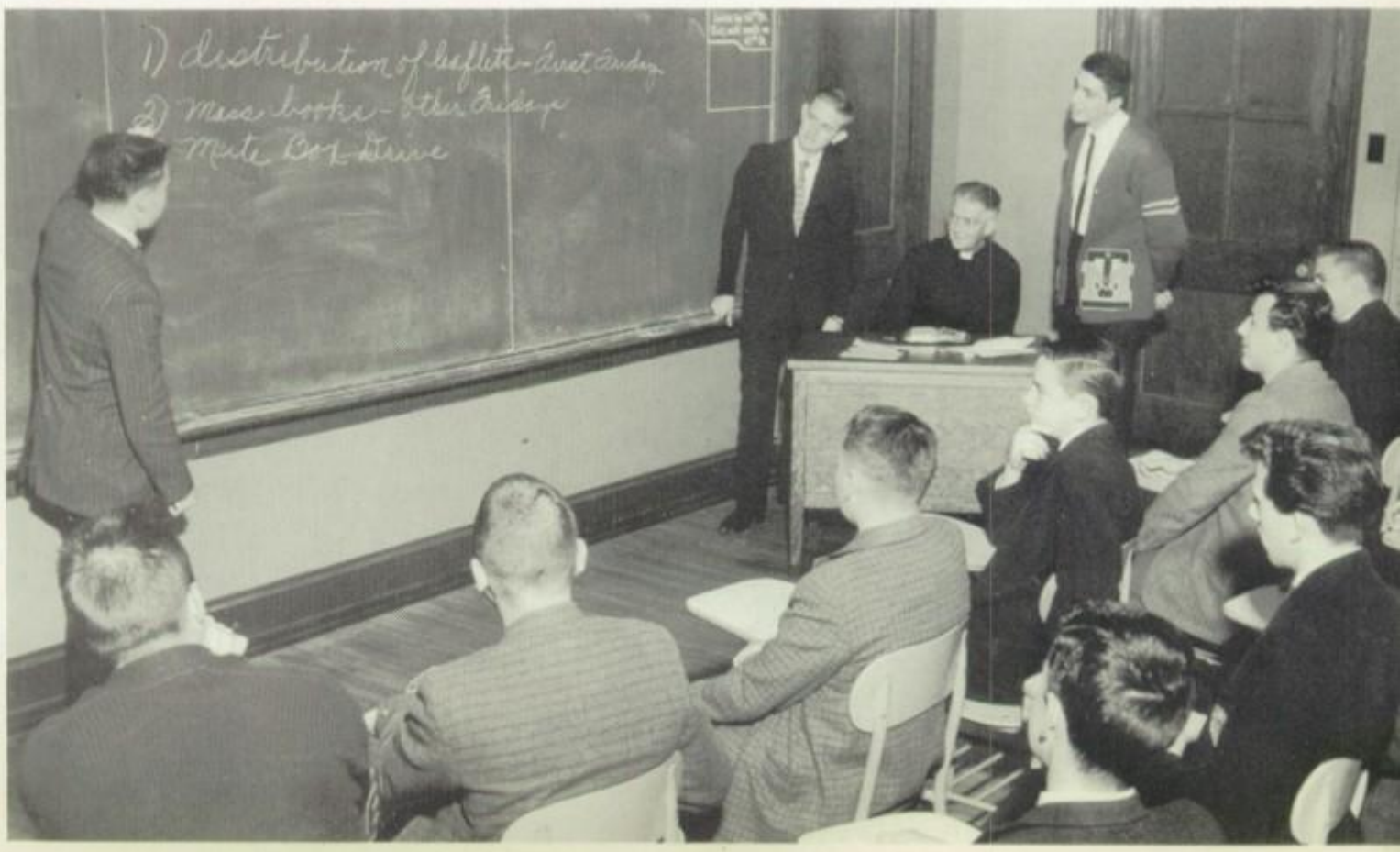
In our school the Student Council carries on just such a function by showing the student body the effects of an orderly and well organized group.

Once again Fr. Smith moderated the Student Council while Joseph Corradino served as president, Kevin McCullen, vice-president; and William Feeny, secretary.

KNIGHTS OF MARY

President William Giuliani points out the club duties to the members of the Knights of Mary as vice-president Joseph Finio; moderator, Fr. McVeigh; and secretary Donald Feeser keep a watchful eye on the proceedings.

These boys, elected from every section in the school, aid in such affairs as distribution of Mass books, leaflets for First Friday, and the annual Mite Box Drive.



PARENT-TEACHERS NIGHT

A comical tragedy is the most tragic of all! Rev. John A. Doyle, C.M., points out mistakes and also the road to good Catholic living.

Joe Verdecchio of section A-1 greets parents as they enter one of our Parent-Teachers' meetings. The parents of most of our boys show a glowing interest in their boys' school work. If only we could say the same for the boys!

Son, why can't your name be up there? I know it could if you would study a little harder! Right—"boys will be boys," and when that happens, Fr. Grass and Fr. McCaffrey lend a hand to straighten them out.

THE

"Now that's a good arrangement!" Fr. Doyle seems to say as Bill Giuliani points to a sample layout in the journalism book. These are the people responsible for this year's newspaper: The moderator—Fr. Doyle, C.M.; The editors—(L. to R.) William Giuliani, news editor; William Feeny, editorial editor; Ernest Frank, sports editor; and Edward Lowery, feature editor.

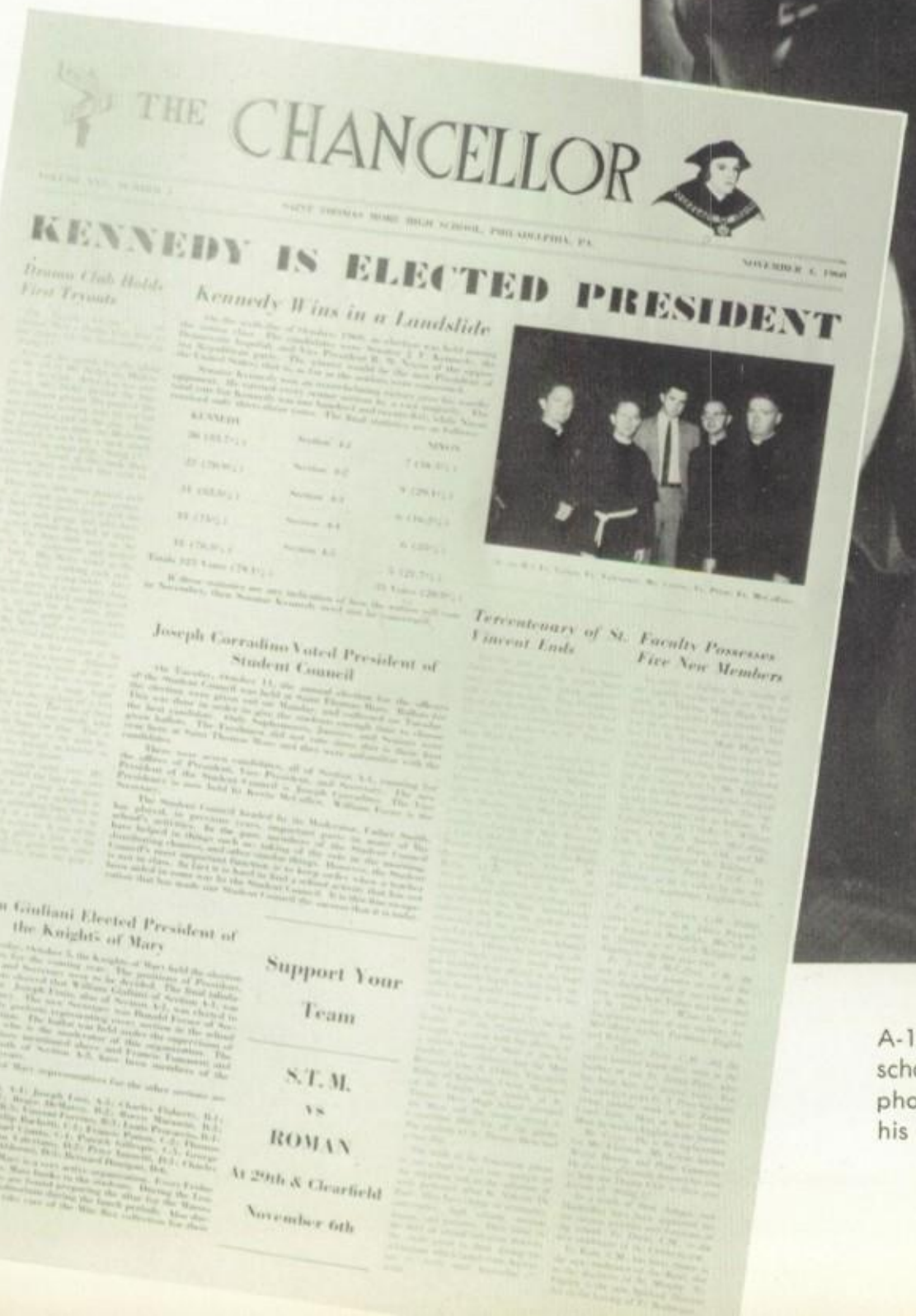
This year's Chancellor staff proved to be one of the largest we have ever had. It was comprised mostly of Seniors with representatives from the Junior, Sophomore, and Freshman classes. Each issue was carefully planned and every article carefully chosen. The boys pictured here were the writers of those articles.

This year's paper saw some changes from those of past years. First, because of the large group, the traditional arrangement of the list of staff members had to be completely revised. Next, the Literary Page was eliminated and in its place came the "Editorial Page" with its new policy of editorials on world and personal problems, human interest tales, and political stories. All in all the changes proved very refreshing and made for a very successful school paper.

THE CHANCELLOR STAFF

CHANCELLOR

Hey! Come and get your paper! There is really no need for soliciting the students to get their Chancellor. For whenever the Chancellor is distributed, it is always received with great eagerness and enthusiasm. The Chancellor is published bi-monthly and is a tribute to its editors and writers.


THE CHANCELLOR

KENNEDY IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Kennedy Wins in a Landslide

Joseph Carrabino Voted President of Student Council

William Giuliani Elected President of the Knights of Mary

Support Your Team

S.T.M. vs ROMAN

At 29th & Clearfield

November 6th

Hold it! Don't move! Gary Piccolli, of senior section A-1, prepares to take one of his fine pictures for the school newspaper, the Chancellor. Gary, our adroit school photographer, adds color and life to the Chancellor with his brilliant pictures of news happenings and sport thrills.

Father James Prior, C.M., the Moderator of the Utopian, is busy selecting a suitable picture. Many suggestions are made regarding the pictures and captions but Father makes the final decision.

John Barone, of section A-3, is the official typist for the Utopian. The copy which you are reading now was carefully prepared for the yearbook publisher only after his long hours of work at the typewriter.

THE UTOPIAN

As you page through your Yearbook and enjoy the captured moments of the classroom, the extra-curricular activities; the athletic contests, recall that all of them were made possible by unstinting team effort.

Athletic teams can achieve some degree of success with an individual star, but for the most part success only comes to the well-balanced teams. The same is true of this year's Utopian. The entire Utopian staff was divided into separate groups and each group devoted its efforts to a particular section of the yearbook. The committees vied with each other for perfection and the finished product shows the results of their labor.

This year's Utopian is a fine team effort and in years to come when the staff peruses the 1961 Utopian, they will agree that it was worth the many months of unselfish work on the part of the entire staff.

William Feeny and Edward Adgie enjoy a joke about one of the captions for a photograph, but Joseph Frascone appears too busy concentrating on another caption to enjoy the fun. These boys, all of section A-1, are the co-editors of the Utopian. They have unselfishly given their time and efforts to assure another successful yearbook.

The students who comprise the Utopian staff. (Back row, L. to R.): T. McGee; P. DiAngelo; J. Buoni; E. Adgie; J. Collins; E. Frank; Fr. James Prior, Moderator. (Front Row, L. to R.): J. Frascone; G. Piccoli; J. Barone; W. Giuliani; W. Feeny; E. Lowery.

CLUBS

Could it be? Is it possible? Are these the boys who will be the future scientists of America? This could be very probable since this is a picture of S.T.M.'s Science Club. Although relatively new, the Science Club has been received by the students with much enthusiasm. Mr. Sollimo, moderator of the club, combines his interest and his time in making this activity a pleasureful as well as educational pastime.

This year Richard Mazzini was elected president of the club. He and last year's president, William Feeny, work together on a typical experiment while the other Junior and Senior members do their projects.

"What's that gadget?" the boys seem to ask as they venture into the heart of the car.

"That's your motor," Joe assures them.

The driver training course, though rather new, is well on its way to being a yearly success at S.T.M. The course, offered to us by Henry and Joe's Driver Training School, teaches the students the responsibilities involved in operating a car. The mechanics of the car, the regulations that must be kept, and the method of efficient operation, are part of the eight-week course. Truly this "club" has helped S.T.M. to turn out many responsible and careful drivers.

THIS SEMESTER

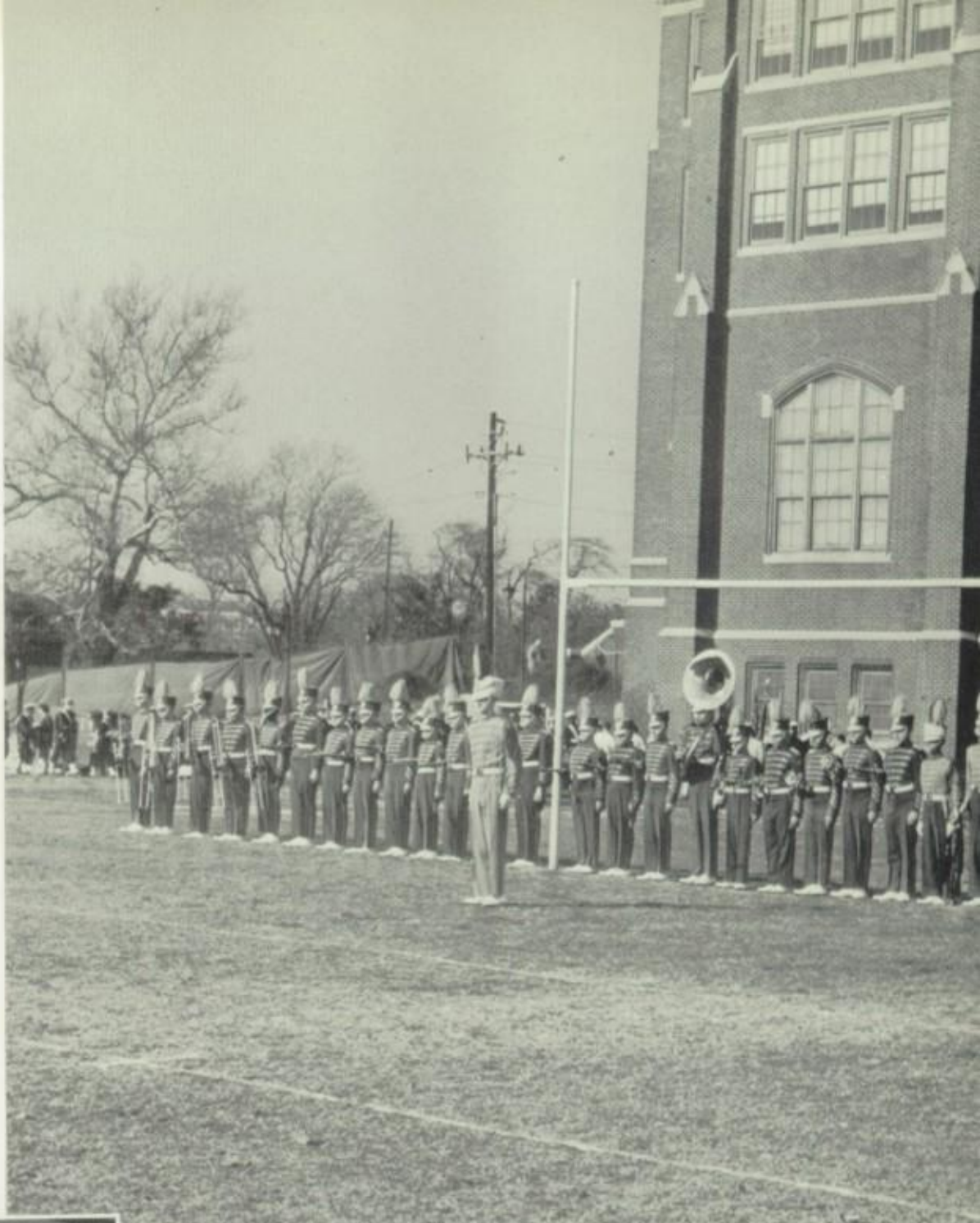
For the past few years, students at St. Thomas More have been able to test their writing ability in our school's annual literary paper, "This Semester." To select the most appropriate articles from the many which are submitted and to handle all the other work entailed in preparing the paper for publication, a veritable army under a good general is needed. Pictured here is this year's army and their general, Mr. Nider, the Seniors' English professor.

THE NEWSLETTER

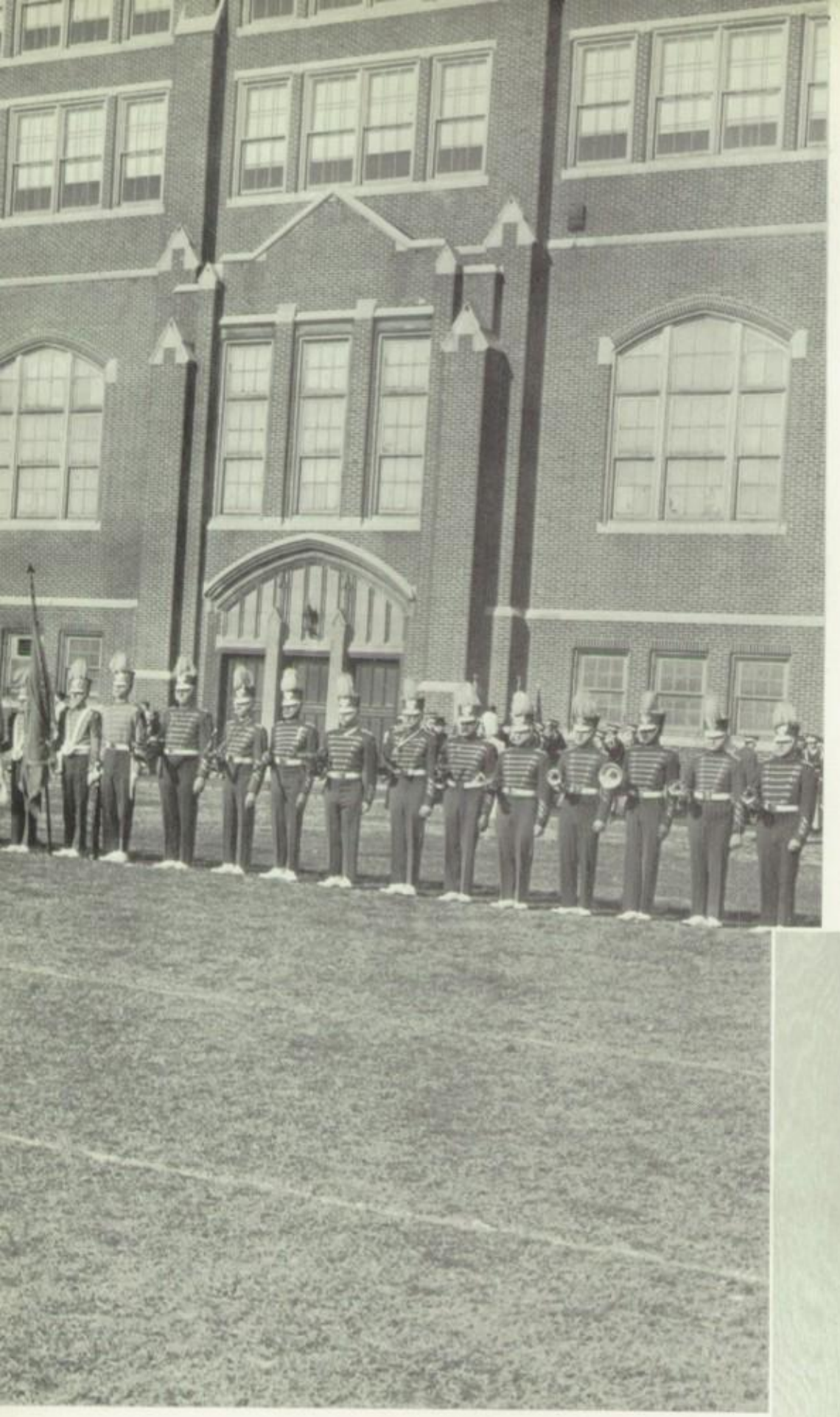
Father McVeigh looks on approvingly as Charles Cirillo, Wilbur Hinson, Donald Feeser, and Paul Smith, all of A-3, finish editing the Newsletter. The Newsletter is printed every other week and keeps the students of Saint Thomas More informed of the latest events. Many important news facts, which are not known to all the students, are circulated throughout the school due to this publication. Much credit should be given to Father McVeigh, who has done a marvelous job as Moderator of the Newsletter, succeeding Father Higgins who instituted it.

THE BAND

Upon our return to classes last September there were a few big question marks. One of the most important developments concerned the band. Under the inspiring leadership of Fr. Murphy, C.M., the band showed marked improvement. However, Fr. Murphy had been transferred during the summer and all the important ground work was in danger of being abandoned. Fr. Thomas Kane became moderator and he immediately took up where Fr. Murphy had left off. He jumped into his new assignment with zeal and energy and his efforts have paid off handsomely. Many material improvements were made but more important still, the band members themselves set to their task with enthusiasm and determination. As a result we just missed first place in the Marching Band contest. This enthusiasm seems to have rubbed off on the freshmen for now we have forty-five freshmen who will graduate into the varsity ranks next year. With interest like this, first place in next year's contest is certainly within reach.



The leadership of our band: Moderator, Fr. Thomas Kane, C.M. *First Row, Left to Right:* Richard Mazzini (2nd Lieut.), Paul Castignani (Sgt.), William Feeny (1st Lieut.). *Second Row, Left to Right:* Joseph Finio (1st Lieut.), Daniel Capodanno (Captain), and Anthony Morinelli (2nd Lieut.).



The time: November 12, 1960; the place: La Salle High School; the occasion: the annual C. Y. O. Marching Band contest.

The day was fair and the band was eager to begin. They were first on the field and the time was drawing near.

Up went the arms of Kenneth Mulhern, drum major; boom, boom, boom, went the drum of Joseph Finio; off marched the band to "Invercargill."

When the results were made known the S. T. M. band was only two and one half points from first place! The trophy in the lower left corner is the well deserved fruits of their tireless effort, the envied second place.

As a school activity the band is a major asset. It forms the nucleus of our cheering section at football games, provides entertainment at half time, and brings honor to S. T. M. by its hard work.

As the strains of "I Could Have Danced All Night," wafted over the ballroom floor of the Greenbrier Country Club, the Seniors waltzed hour after hour with their charming dates. The big night, of course, was the Senior Prom. The couples had been to many dances before but the Senior Prom is something special. But why try to describe the memorable occasion. Those smiling faces express better than any words, the gay, happy evening, the Senior Prom.

SENIOR PROM

Taking things easy a few couples decide to sit out this one. Besides it was a good time to catch their breath and tell each other what a fine time all were enjoying. During these rest periods ripples of laughter rose above the music as escorts and dates reminisced the many amusing incidents in the classroom.

Time out for the pause that refreshes. While the orchestra was taking a breather the escorts had a chance to do a little treating. Coca-Cola may not be the most tempting refreshment but after a few hours of dancing they were most welcome.

On the night of December 9th, the curtain went up for the opening performance of this year's dramatic play, "Stalag 17." Last year, the newly formed Drama Club scored a smashing success with its first production, "No Time For Sergeants." The audience expected a fine performance but no one hoped to see last year's achievement repeated. Well, to make a long story short, "Stalag 17" was a success in every sense of the word. Under the direction of Mr. George Nider, the actors did a masterful job of creating the atmosphere of a German Prison Camp. The lines were spoken flawlessly and the action was crisp and exciting. Under the direction of Mr. Gerard McCauley, the stage crew gave a strong helping hand by their excellent settings. Many hours went into the paintings and sketches but it was well worth all their efforts. Congratulations to all who made the play possible and we are looking forward to repeated successes.

Last year, Mr. Nider's newly formed drama club, the "More Men" scored a smashing success with their presentation of "No Time for Sergeants." This year's production followed its predecessors' example with their "Stalag 17." Mr. Nider and several members of the drama club are ironing out a few problems at one of the many practice sessions which are necessary for a successful performance.

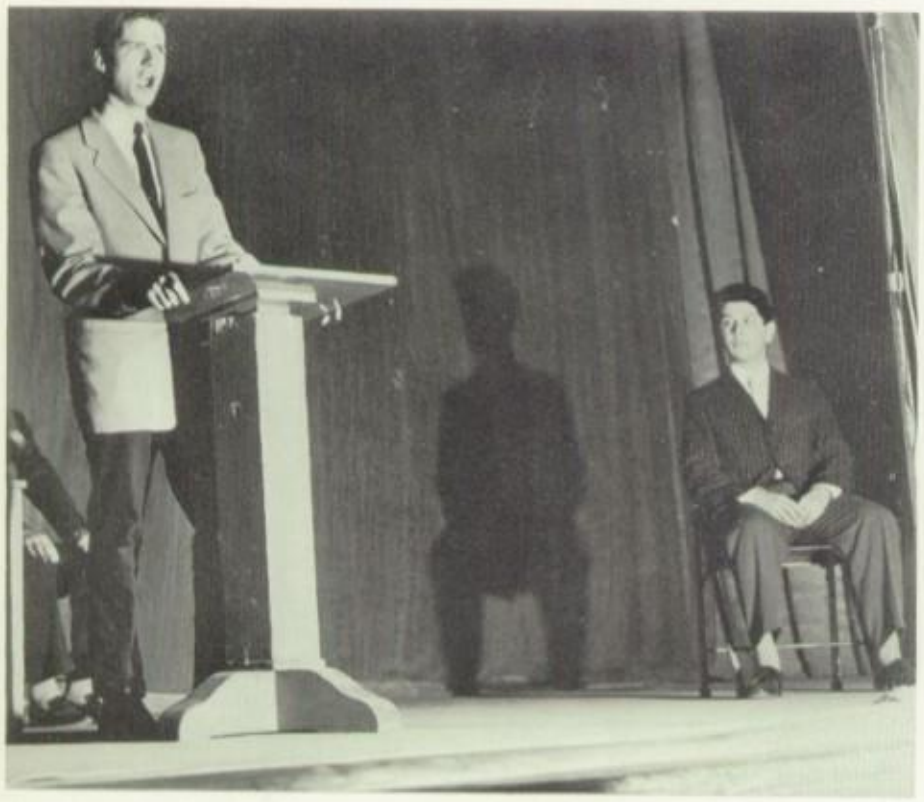
DRAMATICS

One of the spectacular show-stoppers in the Follies of 1961 is this Coney Island sequence in which the "Gay Ninety" era was hilariously reproduced. The excellence of the performance exemplifies the time and effort that was required to put this show together.

VARSITY SHOW

The musical interpretation by the cast of the instrumental, "I Ain't Down Yet," was truly a sensational opening for this year's Follies. Conductor Joe Smith leads the sax section in a chorus.

"It's legitimate!" attests Al Capone, as he is questioned by Eliot Ness and his fellow agents. Furthermore, Capone had all the right answers and thus the famous "Untouchables" did not get their man. At least not this time!



The political atmosphere of last year's presidential campaign comes alive again in this scene from "The Great Debate." Mr. Nixon seems to be displaying the form that lost him the election, as Senator Kennedy looks on.

Mr. James Mayer, the ever-popular director and heart of the Follies, conducting the orchestra on opening night!

SUCH A LONG TIME AGO

With trembling hands, we slowly tugged open those big, foreboding, brown doors on that September morning in 1957. The more than two hundred of us stared wide-eyed at everything in that bright new world of which we so earnestly wanted to become a part. With time, a few elevator passes, and much confusion we did become part of it. Our squeaky voices stumbled over the newly-learned cheers at our first "Pep Rally"; our names joined those of the upperclassmen on the rector's list and on the detention list. That autumn and winter we cheered Henry Nask as he thundered across the gridiron and we yelled ourselves hoarse as Bill Hoy again, again, and still again made the nets shiver with his dead-eye shooting. By May we had learned many things. "Tom foolery" had taught us how to really laugh. Father Kinney had taught us to conjugate "amo" and also that a flag stick can do more than just support a flag. Mr. Saponara's gym classes had introduced us to the feeling of aching muscles and we had learned the immense spiritual value of the annual retreat. Then June tripped in and final examinations tagged along beside her. Finally summer vacations began and we bade a joyous farewell to our new friends, new teachers, and new school.

September once again beckoned us to 47th Street. But this time we came not tremblingly. There was pride in our step; the world was at our feet. Well, not the whole world perhaps but the Freshmen anyway. Once again, we said hello to Val's hard, wet pretzels, to our old friends Latin and English, and to two new acquaintances, Biology and Plane Geometry. We yelled our lungs out as Bill Hoy scored his 1,000th point for S.T.M. and as our football team trampled West Catholic. We attended our second retreat and our second Father and Son Communion Breakfast. All too soon June rolled around ending our reign as Sophomores.

Junior year was a many splendored thing. The beauties of Chemistry, Second Algebra, and Typing I enthralled, and sometimes flunked us. We directed Freshmen to the fourth floor and cheered on the undefeated Freshmen Football Team. Coach Faragalli sent us to victory over Overbrook and Father McVeigh injected "Green and Gold Blood" into our veins as our basketball team triumphed over West Catholic. We applauded the elephantine "Prima Dona" as he pirouetted across the stage during the follies. June came and the Archdiocese was kind enough to let us have the sublime pleasure of taking final examinations. Then Junior year stepped aside to make way for the much heralded arrival of Senior year.

With ostentatious bravery, we opened those friendly brown doors on that September morning, 1960. Senior year had begun! No longer would we sit with the "groundlings" at "Pep Rallies," the balcony was reserved for us. But the glory of this year was more than just the ascension of a flight of stairs. There is a "something" which sets Senior year in high school apart. Many things blend themselves into the quintessence of this "something." For us, some of these were: Mr. Nider's and Father Fogarty's efforts to make us poets and logicians; the ecstacy of gliding across Greenbriar Mansion's floor with our vision fixed on the heavenly gleam in our date's eyes; the tone of authority, confidence, and responsibility which our voices took on as we spoke as Class President, editor of the "Chancellor," or co-captain of the "Golden Bears." There were also the College Board Examinations, our "invasion" of New York on the class trip, and the symphony of the spoons at our fourth Father and Son Communion Breakfast. There were the unforgettable nights when the Palestra resounded with the chant "Let's go, Golden Bears" as the valiant efforts of Mr. Purcell's proteges made S.T.M. for the second time in ten years, Catholic League and City Basketball Champions. Soon May blossomed into June and Graduation Night was upon us. Excitedly we donned the flowing black gowns and shortly thereafter made that long walk to receive our diplomas. A tingle ran down our spines as Father Cusack placed that long-awaited parchment into our hands. With a lump in our throats, we mumbled "Gracias" and "Auf-Wiedersehen" to the four jubilarians, the rector, and the other members of the faculty. Then it was finished; for the last time as high school students, the class of '61 walked through St. Thomas More's old, familiar, brown doors . . .

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BEARS GO!
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